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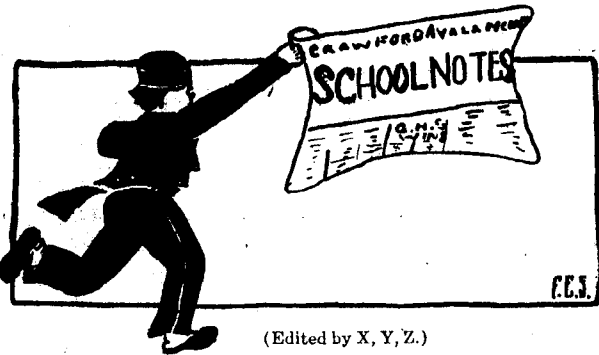
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This above all: to thine own self be true,
And it must follow, as the night the day,
Thou canst not then be false to any man.
—Shakespeare, in Hamlet.

Crawford County Teachers' Institute.

Teachers of all Crawford county schools gathered in the High School Assembly last Thursday morning for the Teachers' Institute, which lasted from Thursday a. m. to Friday p. m. Miss Nella Dietrich of Lansing conducted the meetings. Miss Margaret E. Wise of Ypsilanti and President H. M. Crooks of Alma were the instructors. The program was as follows:

Thursday Forenoon.

Community Singing.
"Better Speech".....Nella Dietrich
Duet.....Misses Corwin and Craven
"Professional Ethics"
.....Pres. H. M. Crooks

Announcements.....M. E. Hoyt
Afternoon.

Music.
The Language Outline in the State
Course of Study.....Nella Dietrich
Solo.....Miss Rodgers
"Questions on the Recitation"
.....Pres. H. M. Crooks

Evening.

Ladies Quartet.....Grayling Faculty
Lecture, "Production and Ownership"
.....Pres. H. M. Crooks

Friday Forenoon.

Community Singing.
"Socializing the Primary School"
.....Margaret E. Wise
Effective Teaching of Spelling
.....Nella Dietrich
Ladies Quartet.....Grayling Faculty
Reading, Directed study in later Elementary Grades.....M. E. Wise

Afternoon.

Solo.....Miss Rodgers
Language, Story Telling, Dramatization.....Margaret E. Wise
Helps for Teachers.....Nella Dietrich
Duet.....Mrs. Doty and Mrs. Smith
Demonstration Lesson, Fourth grade children.....Margaret E. Wise

Miss Anne Walton is the new County nurse. She began examination of school children Tuesday morning.

Miss Thompson entertained the Misses Parr, Gunville, Wescott, Abbott and Mox at a week-end party at her home near Standish. They had

just a glorious good time.

Nov. 1st, Mr. Smith will conduct a school of instruction of voting. The election will be carried on in the same way as the official elections, having all officers chosen from the High School. It is for the benefit of the Junior and Senior high, teaching them how to vote intelligently.

An addition has been made to the School library. A new set of reference books has arrived. Literature, Poetry, Fiction, Science, Humor and Music are the subjects of a great many books. It is a Pocket University Library set of twenty-one volumes. These books are open to public use. Also some children's story books have arrived, such as Kipling's Tales and Cave Boy stories.

Emerson Brown, in History class, "Did that man live 'til he died?"

The Juniors entertained the Seniors at a small party last Wednesday night in the Gym. The members of the faculty were the only other guests. The first part of the evening was spent in games and contests. Miss Hoyt carried off the honors of the cracker-eating race. The suitcase relay probably caused the most merriment. There were seven on each side, girls against boys, (beg your pardon Mr. Smith.) Miss Westcott and Mr. Smith were the first to don the garments. Mr. Smith and the sailor's middy did not agree as to size, consequently there were many smiles. Miss Hoyt was particularly charming in the lady's costume, which was rather too small. The High School people found out what they didn't know about songs, while the teachers displayed their knowledge of Shakespeare's plays in the form of a Shakespearean Romance, the answers being the names of his plays. Miss K. Parr received the prize for this contest and Mildred Bates received the trophy from the songs. Dancing formed the entertainment the last part of the evening. The Gym was decorated with autumn leaves, J's and S's in class colors were given to each guest. Refreshments were served about eleven o'clock.

Ardath Johnson has moved away. She will attend school at the Soo.

The High School chorus is preparing a Cantata.

There are three new typewriters in the commercial room (much to the joy of all concerned.)

The Wah-Wah-Soo girls are planning a Halloween party.

Three bran-new white strips of cheese cloth are stretched across one of the sky-lights in the Assembly. The object is to see if curtains will keep the glare of the light off the desks. It is a rather picturesque experiment.

Florence Stephan gave a party for a number of her friends at her home on the AuSable river last Saturday night. They all report a good time.

The play "Mr. Bob" is in progress. The cast has been chosen. It consists of Philip Royson, who is studying medicine—Gordon Davidson.

Mr. Brown, agent of a law firm of Boston—Owen Cameron.

Jenkins, Miss Luke's butler—Earl Nelson.

Patly, Miss Luke's maid—Hester Hanson.

Rebecca Luke, aunt of Philip and Katharine—Ruth McCullough.

Katharine Rogers, cousin of Philip—Kristine Salling.

Marion Bryant, "Mr. Bob"—Ruby Olson.

Remember the date! Nov. 24.

Hoop-la! Two more days vacation.

PETER AEHLI OLD TIME GRAYLING PRINTER, PASSED AWAY.

Had Long Been a Well-Known Resident of Crawford County.

Monday came the news of the passing away of an old and well known resident of Crawford county, Peter Aehli. Death occurred at the State hospital in Traverse City Monday forenoon at 11:00 o'clock. Mr. Aehli with failing health, his mind and memory weakened and at his request entered the State hospital for treatment in August a year ago. Before that time he had suffered attacks of paralysis while making his home with his daughter, Mrs. Henry Borchers.

Peter Aehli was born in Galiurus, Switzerland, November 7, 1849, and died at Traverse City, October 25, 1920 having almost reached his 71st birthday. Mr. Aehli remained in his home country, Switzerland, during his boyhood, and when he came to America settled in Cincinnati. Afterwards he went to Jackson, Mich., where he made his home for about a year, and then came to Crawford county in 1881. He was united in marriage to Miss Amelia Hoelsli and to them eight children were born. Mrs. Aehli passed away about 22 years ago.

On coming to this county he took up a farm in Sigbee township and remained until the year 1895, when with his family he moved into the county seat, Grayling. Here he took up his old trade as printer, being employed on the *Avalanche* by Dr. O. Palmer, who was then the publisher. He followed this work until the spring of 1913, when his health began to fail him and he then made his home with a daughter. For a number of years he served on the board of Superintendents of the Poor. He was a thoroughly respected citizen and a friend of all who knew him.

The remains of the old gentleman were brought to Grayling Tuesday and taken to the home of his son-in-law, John J. Niederer, and the funeral services were held this afternoon at the Michelson Memorial

The Teachers' State Institute is to be held at Grand Rapids, Thursday and Friday of this week. All of the High School teachers are going, and also several of the grade teachers.

Earl Nelson, "A modern work of irrigation is the Panama Canal."

Freddie: "I have a silver in my finger."

Soph: "Been scratching your head?"

The Juniors express their sincere thanks to the President of the Freshman class for taking down that flag (?) as he promised. Of course we realize you are merely a Freshie, that may be an excuse.

Department of Physical Education, J. B. Buehler, Director.

The Playground ball tournament and the Newcomb ball tournament have come to a very successful finish. Every team was always on time to play at the regular scheduled games. Each classroom displayed its spirit and enthusiasm in a true sportsman-like manner. The benefits obtained from organized play under supervision were very prominently displayed in the tournaments. A series of 21 games were played by the boys. The 6 A Grade were the winners of the tournament. The 5th Grade came second.

The Newcomb ball tournament, consisting of the girls of four classrooms showed as much interest as the boys, or possibly more. This tournament will come to a close Tuesday. The probable winners are the 6 B Grade. This tournament consisted of a series of thirteen games. Luckily the weather permitted Mr. Buehler to carry out his plans so thoroughly and successfully.

The High School boys will commence their basketball season during the first week in November.

Basket ball for the grade boys will commence about the middle of November, likewise the girls. They had spent a week in Detroit and Harbor Beach. High School people take notice! There's school spirit for you.

GRADE NOTES.

The Kindergarten and First grade windows are greatly improved by fine white curtains. They make the rooms so much more cheerful.

Edward Parker of the Sixth grade has not missed one word in spelling this year. This is an extraordinary record.

Mary Parrott is a new scholar of the second grade.

The Hanson Twins were at school about fifteen minutes after their train arrived from the south. They had spent a week in Detroit and Harbor Beach. High School people take notice! There's school spirit for you.

The wee folks of the Kindergarten spent some of their Physical Training periods in the open air last week enjoying the sunshine while at work.

Frances LaGrow and Harold Schmidt visited the Second grade Monday.

The pupils of the Second grade had a Halloween party. Their mothers were invited. It goes without saying that they had a good time.

The Third grade pupils are working to receive a hundred in arithmetic and spelling. We wonder how many will receive it.

The Kindergarten also had a Halloween party.

church at 2 o'clock Rev. C. E. Doty officiating. Interment was at Elmwood cemetery.

The following children survive the deceased: Mrs. Henry Borchers and Mrs. Jeanette Harris of this city; Fred Aehli of Bay City and John Aehli of Windsor, Ontario. John Aehli and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Aehli came to Grayling the fore part of the week to be in attendance at the funeral.

AMERICAN LEGION WEEK OCT. 31 TO NOV. 7.

The American Legion will make a push for new members the week beginning Oct. 31.

It is the aim of Grayling Post No. 106 Department of Michigan, to reach every man and woman in Crawford County who served in any way during the World War and enroll them in this organization, whose work is so completely stated in the Preamble to its constitution.

For God and Country, we associate ourselves together for the following purposes:

To uphold and defend the constitution of the United States of America; to maintain law and order; to foster and perpetuate a one hundred per cent Americanism; to preserve the memories and incidents of our association in the Great War; to inculcate a sense of individual obligation to the community, state and nation; to combat the autocracy of both the classes and the masses; to make right the master of might; to promote peace and good will on earth; to safeguard and transmit to posterity the principles of justice, freedom and democracy; to consecrate and sanctify our comradeship by our devotion to mutual helpfulness.

The Legion has no aims, policies or activities not covered by this preamble.

FREE METHODIST CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Mrs. Retta Schyer, the pastor arrived Saturday. The members are greatly encouraged; the interest is increased.

Everyone is renewing and uniting their efforts to see success and souls saved and prepared for the Master's coming. Mrs. Retta Schyer is a consecrated, devoted handmaiden. Her sermons Sunday were indeed inspiring, every word seemed from God. She preaches at the church Sunday at 11:00 a. m.; at T-Town, 3 p. m. and at the church again in the evening at 7:30.

The Tuesday prayer meetings are at cottages and Thursday evenings at 7:30 at the church.

Friday afternoon 1:30 the Women's prayer service meets at the home of Mrs. Galloway. At this meeting an offering is taken for flowers for those who may be taken sick, also those who are poor and may be in need of help.

Sunday School, Sunday 10:00 a. m. Everyone is welcome to attend these services. Anyone desiring a prayer meeting at their home, please leave word at the Fitzgerald home across the street from the little church.

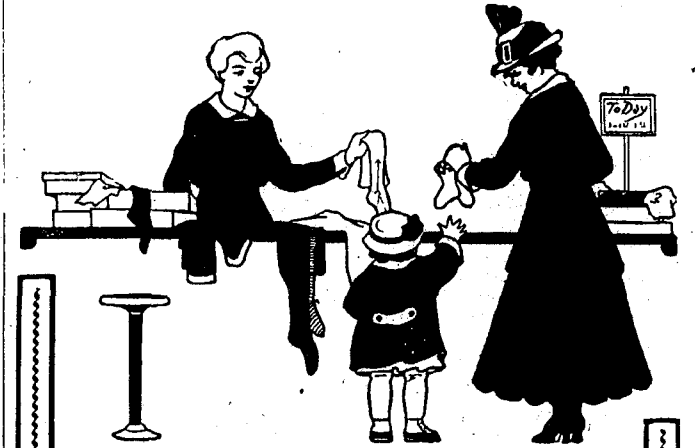
NOTICE.

The ladies of the Good fellowship club will be pleased to give instruction as to the use of the ballot for the presidential election, to those desiring same, on Saturday October 30 at the South side and Central School buildings, from two until five p. m. All ladies will be welcome.

Good Fellowship Club.

NOTICE OF OPENING AND CLOSING OF POLLS OF THE ELECTION NOV. 2, 1920.

Polls will open at 7 a. m. and close at 7 p. m. By order of the Township Board. L. J. Kraus, 10-21-2.



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STATE NEWS

Monroe—Monroe County's general tax has been fixed at 3 mills.

Flint—Divorced for 17 years, Ralph and Flora Augsburg were re-married here.

Grand Rapids—West Michigan State Fair reports profits of \$7,470.77 and total receipts of \$66,372.

Charlevoix—The Pines, for years a popular resort hotel on the shore of Walloon Lake, is being razed.

Ypsilanti—There are 1,336 students enrolled at the State Normal College. All but 72 are from Michigan.

Albion—The Michigan State Telephone Co. has started placing all telephone wires in the downtown section underground.

Albion—Scott Brunner, 55, farmer, killed himself by a shot in the breast from a shotgun, while in delirium from diphtheria.

Alma—Francis E. Hayward, formerly of the Detroit Bureau of Governmental Research, has been appointed city clerk of Alma.

Pontiac—Oakland County's new valuation is \$136,371,469. Pontiac's valuation increased from \$31,276,532 a year ago to \$43,607,554.

Pontiac—An appropriation of \$500 was voted by the Oakland County board of supervisors for the Michigan Children's Home Society, of St. Joseph.

St. Johns—The Clinton County poor commissioners have asked the board of supervisors for an appropriation of \$14,000 for the care of the county's poor.

Tecumseh—One of the remaining patches of hardwood near this place belonging to Philip Kehoe was sold to DeHance Truck Co., of DeHance, O., for \$5,000.

Cheboygan—The body of Asa Spencer, of this city, who disappeared while duck hunting Oct. 3, has been found in Mullet Lake, near Birchwood Camp.

Pontiac—Oakland county's tax budget for next year will be the biggest on record, totaling more than \$68,000, the auditors have informed the supervisors.

Grand Rapids—Bert Lemmen, 53 years old, Allendale implement dealer, died here as a result of being struck by an automobile driven by Dr. G. H. Southwick.

East Lansing—The department of farm management of the Michigan Agricultural College will conduct a series of farm accounting schools in the state next winter.

Mt. Clemens—The county board of supervisors has voted \$200 to be paid to the Michigan Children's Hospital, Detroit, where 16 Macomb County children are receiving treatment.

Ann Arbor—The first of a series of University of Michigan Hospital extension clinics was opened at Houghton. Six clinics are planned for the year. Dr. Christopher Parnell is in charge.

Mt. Clemens—The marriage is announced here of Miss Susan Edessa Warner, daughter of former Governor Fred M. Warner, and William Wanton Slocum, nephew of Grant Slocum.

Flint—John Schachter was arrested in Mason charged with aiding a prisoner to escape. It is alleged that he sent back-saws to C. W. Knecht, a prisoner in the county jail here, in a layer cake.

Muskegon—Muskegon County is planning on spending \$240,000 for road improvements during 1921. This is four times the amount spent two years ago and an increase of \$100,000 over the budget for 1920.

Ladington—A total of \$3,864.10 was collected in dog taxes in Mason County in the year ending Sept. 30, according to a report made to the board of supervisors by William Ebersole, county treasurer.

Grand Rapids—George A. Eggleston driver of an automobile which rolled over twice as it went down an embankment, and finally stopped right side up, received only minor injuries. Three passengers were unhurt.

Grand Rapids—James B. Vanderman has reported to the police that a consignment of jewelry worth \$21 in cash, a gold watch and lavaliere from his home, has returned the property. It was found on his back porch.

Marshall—Julius Engleman, reputed to be the last surviving charter member of Zion Lodge No. 1, F. & A. M., Detroit, a member of St. Albans Lodge, No. 22, F. & A. M., and oldest Mason and Odd Fellow in Michigan, is dead here. He had passed his ninety-sixth birthday.

Washington—A review by the United States supreme court of the conviction of Senator Truman H. Newberry and others in the Michigan Federal court is asked by a petition filed in the supreme court. Records in the case were admitted to the court some time ago.

Grand Rapids—Although Blar Cronhron controlled the hide market of the world and his transactions involved millions of dollars, he left an estate valued at only \$1,000 in real estate and \$2,000 in personal property, according to a petition filed in probate court. Life insurance policies carried by Cronhron and said to involve \$400,000, are now under litigation in superior court. Cronhron committed suicide September 20 on a lake steamer near Detroit after he had met with financial reverses and his transactions had led to his arrest.

Ann Arbor—George A. Cadwell, of New Britain, Conn., senior law student in the University of Michigan, died of injuries received when the automobile in which he was riding turned turtle. Miss Elizabeth Carter, a freshman in the literary department from Huntington, W. Va., is in a serious condition, and Anderson Meadows, a special law student from Henning, W. Va., who was driving the car, was slightly injured. Cadwell suffered a fractured skull, and his spine was injured. He died without recovering consciousness.

Holly—The Wright-Fisher Engineering Co., of Detroit, is breaking ground here for a new plant.

Marshall—Calhoun county supervisors raised the salaries of all county officers because of the high cost of living.

Pontiac—Oakland County has obtained 4,258 days of labor from prisoners sentenced to do road work in the last nine months.

Saginaw—Charles Chazowski, 16, was drowned in the Saginaw river when he fell from the houseboat on which his mother lived.

Big Rapids—The board of supervisors of Mecosta County has voted an appropriation of \$40,063.42 for the building and maintenance of roads in 1921.

Tecumseh—Lenawee County Bankers' Association elected Charles King president, W. J. Redfield vice president, Carroll H. Lewis secretary treasurer.

Pontiac—Oakland County has 328 miles of good roads and an additional 55 miles under construction, according to the report of the road commissioners.

Kalamazoo—A fund of about \$100,000 will be raised by popular subscription to erect or purchase a home for the Joseph Westridge Post, American Legion.

Port Huron—The General Grass & Aluminum Manufacturing Co. has abandoned its branch plant here in Marysville and will enlarge its Detroit plant, officials say.

Battle Creek—With the closing of the military cemetery at Camp Custer the unclaimed bodies of 20 soldiers who died at the camp will be moved to another military cemetery.

Bangor—Four stores in this village were destroyed by fire at an estimated loss of \$50,000. The fire is believed to have started in a steam heating plant of the M. D. Trim company.

Battle Creek—The 14th infantry entrained from Camp Custer for Hoboken, where the unit will sail for the Panama Canal Zone. The 14th contains more than 400 Michigan men.

Constantine—A county grain and potato show will be held by the farmers of St. Joseph County in Centerville in December. It is under the direction of A. J. Hutchins, county agent.

Deford—"Grandma" Catherine Daugherty, 100 years old, oldest woman in Tuscola County, is dead. Before her death she selected her rail-bearers, chose the text of her funeral sermon and named the songs she wanted sung.

Muskegon—The Michigan State Grange has completed plans for the purchase of a coal mine at Cumberland Gap, S. H. Clink, counsel for the grange announced. The coal mine will represent an outlay of \$100,000. The Grange plans to sell coal at cost to its members.

Lansing—The fourth district of the Michigan Coal Merchants' association was organized in this city. The fourth district will comprise dealers in Ingham, Livingston, Eaton and Shiawassee counties. Twenty-five representatives from the various towns were present at the meeting.

Grand Rapids—A campaign to enlist all federal employees within a radius of 100 miles of Grand Rapids in Local No. 143 of the National Federation of Federal Employees has been started. It was announced by W. L. Herron, secretary-treasurer of the local. Grand Rapids branch already has 63 members.

Honor—To assist in the development of pure bred live stock in Benzie county, the Honor State Bank is backing a Duroc Jersey Pig club, composed of 12 boys of the county. Recently a public auction was held and that interest in the movement has been created was shown by the large and enthusiastic crowd that attended.

Owosso—Farmers are shipping milk, cream and butter to cities and using oleomargarine themselves, Judge Munn, of New York, told the Michigan Association of Milk Producers, in session here. If farmers would consume as much milk as city people do, Judge Munn said, there would be no surplus, and the slump in milk and cattle prices would be avoided.

Grand Rapids—Makers of "moonshine" in this city are adding to the problems of the city manager. For several days numerous complaints of sewers not functioning properly have been received from the west side. An investigation was ordered, and several sewers were dug up and found full of "mash." The refuse from distillation had plugged one big outlet sewer for more than a block.

Muskegon—More than 300 arrests in 30 days were made by the Michigan state police, working about Muskegon Heights and Muskegon. More than 100 of the arrests were for violation of the liquor laws and it is said, as a result, the price of moonshine whiskey has been raised in this city to \$18 and \$20 a quart. A number of offenders were turned over to federal officers, especially where stills were seized.

Lansing—The first step in Michigan's new health program was taken when Dr. R. M. Olin, state health commissioner, called into conference nurses and health officials from practically every county in the state. More than 60 nurses attended, and talks were given, as well as exhibits shown and a generous amount of health literature distributed. "In order to remedy weak spots in our public health service," Dr. Olin said, in opening the meeting, "it will be imperative that all active organizations be made to work as one."

Paw Paw—Mrs. Sarah Tabor, 82-year-old Lawton woman must stand trial a second time on a charge of manslaughter in connection with the death of her daughter, Mrs. Maude Tabor Virgo, four years ago. This decision was announced when the case was called before Circuit Judge L. B. Burget Desvoignes. The time the trial is to begin was left indefinite. Prosecuting Attorney Horace Adams asserted, however, the trial will begin until all other jury cases for the term have been disposed of, and there are several.

BUSINESS SKIES CLEAR, SAYS GARY

THIS IS TIME FOR COURAGE, CAUTION AND COMPOSURE, IN ALL DEALINGS.

PREDICTS REDUCTION OF PRICES

Law of Supply and Demand Will Be Factor in Reasonable and Fair Adjustment.

New York.—Business prospects are unusually bright, both in the United States and abroad, Elbert H. Gary, head of the United States Steel corporation, declared in an address before the American Iron and Steel institute here.

"Although this is a time for courage, composure and caution," Mr. Gary said, "the business skies are practically without clouds. As always, there may be showery from time to time, but there is nothing in the atmosphere to indicate the approach of dangerous storms."

"The present tendency is toward a lower, more reasonable and fairer relative basis. The difficulty is found in the fact that every individual is perfectly willing that all others shall make reductions—the larger the better. Now, a general public, including particularly those who are neither buyers nor sellers to any large extent, will in one way or another, bring about a fair and reasonable adjustment of prices. The law of supply and demand will be the principal factor."

"The people of the United States have reason for confidence in the business future. They need not be discouraged nor impatient."

CANNERS OPPOSE AIDING CUBA

Fruit Products Body See Plan to Hold Up Sugar Prices.

Brooklyn, N. Y.—Marcus Blake, president of the National Preserves and Fruit Products association announced that the associations executive committee following a canvass of votes of members, disapproves the proposal to assist financially Cuban interests involved in the "sugar tragedy," which, it was declared, already has resulted in an advance in the price of sugar. Present "abnormally high and advancing prices," the committee explained may thereby be maintained at the expense of all for the benefit of a few in the face of an estimated large surplus in available supply.

"A concerted plan to aid in hoarding or withholding this commodity is feared," the committee said, "on account of the possibility of a repetition of the recent orgy of wild, disorderly speculation and unreasonable prices without causes or conditions to justify."

FIVE NAMED FOR SHIP BOARD

Admiral Benson Remains As Chairman; Two More to Be Appointed.

Washington.—Five of the seven members of the new shipping board created by the merchant marine act were appointed by President Wilson. Admiral Wm. S. Benson, chief of naval operations during the war, was reappointed chairman. The other four members named were: Frederick I. Thompson, a newspaper publisher of Mobile, Ala.; Gavin McNab, an attorney of San Francisco; Martin J. Gillett, an attorney of Wisconsin; and Theodore Marburg a publicist of Baltimore.

Only one of the five named is a Republican—Marburg—and since the law specifies that only four of the members may be named from any one political party, the remaining two appointees must be Republicans. The members of the new board are to receive salaries of \$12,000 a year.

SEA PLANES FOR CUBAN SERVICE

Will Carry Passengers and Mail From Key West to Havana.

New York.—Two heavy seaplanes, which are to inaugurate a passenger and mail service between Key West and Havana November 1, left here en route to the Florida station, each carrying 11 passengers. Officials of the postoffice department, representatives of the Cuban legation and naval officers participated in the ceremonies attending the "takeoff."

Two sacks of mail, one containing a letter of greeting from President Wilson to the president of Cuba, were placed on board.

The service will be the first of its kind between the United States and a foreign port.

Would End War Enmity.

London.—An appeal for re-establishment of the "friendly intercourse" which existed before the world war has been addressed to professors of arts and sciences and members of universities and learned societies in Germany and Austria by a large number of professors and doctors of Oxford university. The letter expresses a desire "to dispell the embitterment of animosities that, under the impulse of patriotism, may have passed between us."

Americans Receive Chinese Honors.

Pekin.—Unusual honors were paid Dr. John Dewey, of Columbia university, and Dr. P. S. Reinsch, former American minister to China, at the University of Peking when they were given the degree of doctor of philosophy in the presence of a large assemblage of men and women students and Chinese and American educators. The meeting was marked by great enthusiasm. The secretary of the American legation received the degree on behalf of Dr. Reinsch.

Speaker Mondell Breaks Leg.

Riverton, Wyo.—Frank W. Mondell, Republican leader in the house of representatives, sustained a broken leg in a fall on the Shoshone reservation near here. Mondell was with a party of local men on a trip of inspection to the Shoshone reclamation project when a "drag line" of a steam shovel on which he stepped broke, causing him to fall. The rope was only a few inches off the ground. Mondell had been touring the state, speaking for the Republican party.

Insurance Collected, Grave Empty.

Abilene, Tex.—Police authorities were searching for B. J. Cochran, living or dead, in order to solve the mystery of an empty grave near Aspermont, in which Cochran's body was supposed to have been buried. The grave was opened and the casket found empty. It was learned that Mrs. Cochran collected \$12,000 insurance following Cochran's "death" in March last year. She then disappeared with her five children, leaving no clue as to her destination.

UNUSUAL HAPPENINGS AND OTHER BRIEF NEWS

N. Y. Alaska Trip Successful.
Mineola, N. Y.—The four army airplanes which left here July 15 to establish an air route to Nome, Alaska, completed their round trip, arriving here from Erie.

Shop Force Cut 20 Per Cent.
Roanoke, Va.—Notice of a 20 per cent reduction in the shop forces of the Norfolk & Western railway system, beginning with laborers and helpers, have been posted in the company's shops.

Dies At Age of 108.
Beifast, Ireland.—A unique record of centenarian brothers has just been broken by the death of John Mullan, 108 years old, who lived with his brother Henry, 103, at Donesdale, near Dungannon.

Detroit Warden Chosen Leader.
Columbus, O.—Harry L. Hulbert, of Detroit, warden of the Michigan state prison, was elected president of the Wardens' association, Jacksonville, Fla., was chosen for the 1921 meeting of the American Prison congress.

Get \$20,000 From Messenger.
Chicago—Carl Lauer, a messenger for the State Commercial Savings bank was held up by three automobile bandits and robbed of \$20,000 in cash here. In addition the bandits obtained \$30,000 in checks and securities.

Philadelphia Heads Surgeons.
Montreal, P. Q.—John B. Deaver, of Philadelphia, was elected president of the American College of Surgeons at its annual convention here. Dr. Harvey G. Mudd, St. Louis, and Dr. Charles E. Sawyer, of Marion, Ohio, were elected vice-presidents.

Crunk Faces Many Charges.
Norristown, Pa.—Augusto Pasquale, "the crunk," self-confessed kidnaper and slayer of Blakely Coughlin, the 13-month-old son of George H. Coughlin, was formally committed to prison to await action of the grand jury, charged with first degree murder, kidnapping, extortion, blackmail and burglary.

Skeleton 200,000 Years Old.
Scotts Bluff, Neb.—E. H. Barbour, of the state university, unearthed the skeleton of a prehistoric animal which he believed to be more than 200,000 years old. The skeleton was found in the famous fossil beds of Cook's ranch near Scotts Bluff. It will be preserved and sent to the university museum, it was announced.

Hospital To Mark Site.
Washington.—At St. Mibiel, France, in memory of the first great American battle effort of the war, a unique reminder is to be established under Red Cross auspices. Co-operating with the French government, the junior section of the American Red Cross will finance there the erection and operation of a model hospital for children.

10,212 Boats Used Canal.
Washington.—The number of commercial vessels which had traversed the Panama canal since its opening in 1914 had passed the 10,000 mark at the close of the fiscal year ended last June 30. The average number of vessels monthly making the passage increased until it reached 144.9 ships per month the first half of the present year.

More Trouble for Sylvia.
London.—Sylvia Pankhurst was arraigned in police court charged with attempting to cause sedition in the navy. The specific charge was that of editing and publishing an issue of the newspaper "The Workers' Dreadnought" on October 16, containing an article on "Discontent on the Lower Deck." She was remanded for one week, but bail was granted.

15-Year Sentence for "Lieut."
Washington.—President Wilson has confirmed the sentence of dismissal from service and 15 years' imprisonment at hard labor, imposed by court martial upon Second Lieutenant John C. Gottenkiene, of the Fifth Field Artillery. The officer was convicted of deserting his command at Neuhausen, Germany, in June, 1919, after embezzling \$36,051 of military funds.

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Washington.—Italy supplied more than one-fifth of the total number of immigrant aliens who entered the United States during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1920, records of the U. S. immigration bureau show.

Italy's contribution was 95,145 out of 430,001.

Other countries contributed as follows:

Canada, 90,025; Mexico, 52,361; England, 27,871; Portugal, 15,472; Spain, 18,821; West Indies, 13,808; Greece, 11,981; Ireland, 9,591; Scotland, 9,347; France, 8,945; Japan, 6,572; Netherlands, 5,187; Belgium, 4,534; Norway, 4,445; Poland, 4,313; Czechoslovakia, 3,426; Sweden, 3,862; Switzerland, 3,785; Turkey in Asia, 5,033; South America, 4,112; Denmark, 3,137; China, 2,330.

Smaller numbers were supplied by countries as Rumania, Bulgaria, Austria, Hungary, Yugoslavia and Australia.

Judges Upholds Deporting of Reds.
New York.—Immigration officials are not exceeding their authority in deporting persons found to be members of the Communist party, John C. Knox, federal judge, ruled. The ruling made in the case of Martin Abert, a Communist, under warrant of deportation, is contrary to that of Judge Anderson, of the federal court in Boston, who held membership in the Communist party was not of itself sufficient to deport a person under the act of Oct. 1, 1918.

Speakers Mondell Breaks Leg.
Riverton, Wyo.—Frank W. Mondell, Republican leader in the house of representatives, sustained a broken leg in a fall on the Shoshone reservation near here. Mondell was with a party of local men on a trip of inspection to the Shoshone reclamation project when a "drag line" of a steam shovel on which he stepped broke, causing him to fall. The rope was only a few inches off the ground. Mondell had been touring the state, speaking for the Republican party.

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CONDENSED CLASSICS

RICHARD CARVEL

By WINSTON CHURCHILL

Condensation by Hon. David I. Walsh, United States Senator



Winston Churchill has been almost as versatile as his English namesake. It is a fairly good story of the story of his romantic adventures and the historical novel to the tale of reforming England. He has an acute knowledge of what will later be the great public, and writes a story about it in such a way that he becomes a phenomenal best seller. He has learned the profession of writing novels by novel writing, and he learned to portray people by careful study of them. He has acquired a power of characterization that is almost photographic. He uses this power to present people of great appeal to a large body of Americans, for they are the type known to many. All this shows the seriousness of the man. That his political novels, for instance, are real stories of politics is shown by the fact that a former president of the United States and two former governors of Massachusetts have commented to recall them in shortened form.

Winston Churchill has written his best book, so far, in the opinion of most readers, in "Carvel." It portrays a vital phase of American political life. It has had a potent influence in improving the conduct of our public affairs. In "Carvel" he has created his greatest character, as yet—one that will probably take permanent rank in American literature.

I TAKE no shame in the pride with which I write of my grandfather, Lionel Carvel, Esq., of Carvel Hall, in his lordship's province of Maryland, albeit he favored his majesty. He was no palaverer, turncoat like my uncle Grafton, whom I knew for a great rascal who had been banished to his estate in Kent county for saying in my grandfather's presence that a mother had not been fit to marry a Carvel. But if Grafton was a shadow on my boyhood, there was also a great light, and this was Mistress Dorothy Manners, my constant playmate.

Dorothy bloomed early, and too soon became a great beauty, with all our Annapolis macaronis at her feet. Thanks to her gossip father, Mr. Marmaduke Manners, she gave me to know that none but an English earl could serve her for husband.

My boyhood was passed in stirring times. 'Twas in the summer of 1765, made memorable by the Stamp Act, that I first came into touch with my friend, Mr. Henry Swain, a lawyer and a man of note among our patriots, the doctrines that were kindling righteous revolt. My friendship with Patty Swain, his daughter, had begun early, and it was she who gave me heart to hope that Dorothy, for all her fine airs, still thought sometimes of her childhood sweetheart.

Not until my uncle Grafton poisoned his ear against me did my grandfather learn how strong was the republican spirit that stirred me. "A Carvel against the king" was all he said. But I saw that Grafton had triumphed; and to tell the truth it was no pleasant thing for me to set my face against the king for whom my father had died.

About this time Dorothy's wish was fulfilled and she went to London. Soon Lord Comyn arrived at Annapolis with news that every macaroni in London, including himself, was in love with her and that the Duke of Chartersea, a great rake, appeared to lead the race. There was sadness in the pride this gave me; nevertheless, I was drawn to Lord Comyn, a true man.

My grandfather falling seriously ill, my uncle effected a reconciliation. Soon I realized that Grafton was plotting to cheat me of my birthright and make himself heir to Carvel Hall.

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SEEK NEWS OF MISSING MEN

Effort Being Made to Solve War Mysteries on Behalf of Relatives and Friends.

Was William Ross Beck of the One Hundred and Nineteenth Infantry, reported died of wounds on October 9, 1918, seen later in a British hospital or not?

What became of Clyde Abel of the Eighteenth Infantry after he was wounded and taken to hospital on November 7, 1918?

Who can tell what happened to Benjamin F. Ludwig of the Sixtieth Infantry whose letters home stopped with the signing of the armistice?

These are some of the war mysteries the solution of which is being sought on behalf of relatives and friends of the lost soldiers. Recent lists include the following cases:

WILLIAM ROSS BECK, Co. M, 119th Infantry, reported wounded Oct. 9, 1918, and died the same day. His mother has heard that an acquaintance saw him in a British hospital a month later. She also would like to hear from soldier who returned home on S. S. Sierra in December, 1918. Address Mrs. W. W. Beck, Gays, Ill.

CLYDE ABEL, Pvt. 8th Division, was transferred to Co. E, 18th Infantry. First division, and was wounded and taken to hospital Nov. 7, 1918. Nothing heard of him after that date. His father, Edward Abel, Route 2, Buchanan, Mich., would like to hear from anyone who knew him, especially officers of his company.

BENJAMIN F. LUDWIG, Pvt. Hdq. Co. 6th Infantry, Fifth division, has not been heard from since the armistice. He sailed for France July 18, 1918, and his mother received several letters from him after his arrival. With the signing of the armistice communication stopped. Write Frank C. Love, 408 City Bank building, Syracuse, N. Y.

FABIAN HARRIS, 32nd Infantry, reported killed in action, Nov. 9, 1918. His mother lived in Sweden, and when she heard he had enlisted she started for this country. It took her four months to get a ship, and when she arrived her son had sailed for France. The next she heard he was killed. Anyone with information should address Mrs. Elizabeth Rodgers, 53 North Walpole avenue, La Grange, Ill., and she will communicate with the mother.

MURRAY GORDON, Pvt. Co. D, 9th Infantry, severely wounded at Chaumont Thierry. Last information concerning him contained in letter written by nurse at Hospital No. 6. Anyone with information, address Lee Hoffman, General Delivery, Arcadia, Fla.

EARL V. JEFFERSON, Sgt. Co. D, 102nd Infantry, was killed in action in July, 1918. Those who knew him and circumstances of his death write Commander, Earl V. Jefferson Post, American Legion, Hope, N. D.

RECTOR MORGAN, Pvt. Co. K, 160th Infantry, reported killed. In action but his mother can get no further information. Anyone who knew him in France write Mrs. Ray Morgan, Condon, Ore.

ARMED WITH MOPS, BROOMS

Fayette (Mo.) Post Turns Out and Transforms Community Into Spotless Town.

When the streets of Fayette, Mo., seemed to be collecting entirely too much refuse and dust to be slightly the Legionnaires of Roger White post turned out in a body and, armed with



On "Home-Town" Police Duty.

mops and brooms, soon transformed the community into a spotless town. The former soldiers and sailors, who garbed themselves in denim overalls and olive drab shirts for the occasion, remarked that it wasn't nearly as arduous a task as some of the "policing" jobs they had been set to do while in the service.

Oldest and Youngest Members.

After extensive research, Kansas members of the Legion believe that they have found the oldest and youngest Legion members in the state. Col. Ezra B. Fuller, member of the Leavenworth post, is seventy-one years old and has four wars to his credit—the Civil, Indian, Spanish-American and World wars. Colonel Fuller is still on duty at the staff college, Fort Leavenworth. James W. Weed of Lawrence had just passed his fourteenth birthday when the United States entered the war. One year later Weed, so the story goes, slipped by the recruiting officials and was accepted in the navy, where he served as seaman, second class. Weed, who has just reached his eighteenth birthday, took a prominent part in "C'est La Guerre," a play produced by Eli F. Dorsey post of Lawrence.

Refreshments.
"May I offer you some refreshment?" asked Borelough at the dance. "Yes, thank you," replied Miss Causique. "You might give me a few moments to myself."—American Legion Weekly.

He Would.
"Young man, are you thinking very seriously about marrying my daughter?"
"I wasn't str. but, believe me, I could better if I did."—American Legion Weekly.

GALBRAITH IS NEW LEADER

Ohio Man Chosen National Commander of American Legion at Cleveland Convention.

F. W. Galbraith, Jr., of Cincinnati, wearer of the Distinguished Service Cross and two French decorations for heroism in the Meuse-Argonne offensive, in which he was wounded while commanding the One Hundred and Forty-seventh Infantry, was unanimously elected national commander of the American Legion at the recent convention in Cleveland.

Mr. Galbraith was commissioned major in the First Infantry, Ohio National Guard, in 1916, and the same year was promoted to colonel. He was assigned to the One Hundred and Forty-seventh Infantry in 1917 and remained in command of that organization until the end of the war. He took part in the St. Mihiel drive and served in the Baccarat and Ypres-Lys sectors. Since 1908, Mr. Galbraith has been treasurer of the Western Paper Goods company of Cincinnati. He is forty-six years old.

The convention elected the following vice commanders: John G. Emory, Grand Rapids, Mich.; E. J. Winlett, Saberville, Ala.; Thomas J. Goldingay, Newark, N. J.; C. G. Pendill, Kenosha, Wis.; and J. G. Scruggam, Reno, Nev. John W. Inzer of Montgomery, Ala., was elected national chaplain.

The convention overwhelmingly endorsed the Legion's fourfold optional compensation bill, known as the Fordney bill, passed by the house at



F. W. Galbraith, Jr., Newly Elected National Commander.

its last session and now pending in the senate. The delegates voted to make no change in the political restriction clause in the Legion constitution, and reiterated the organization's position of "strict neutrality" in all disputes between capital and labor.

Resolutions advocating complete exclusion of Japanese immigrants and denial of citizenship to "these unsimilable people" were adopted, together with numerous other recommendations regarding legislation designed to foster and safeguard 100 per cent Americanism.

2 DELEGATES ALSO G. A. R.'S

Special Welcome Extended to Representatives at Convention Who Had Served at Other Wars.

Two distinguished delegates to the American Legion national convention at Cleveland received a special welcome from Franklin D'Olier, the retiring commander, when it was learned that they were also members of the Grand Army of the Republic. They were Lieut. Col. Marshall W. Wood, U. S. A., retired, of Boise, Idaho, and Dr. Wesley Thompson of Huntington Park, Cal.

Lieutenant Colonel Wood, who is seventy-four years old, was wounded twice in the Civil war, served in the Spanish-American and Indian wars and was on active duty during the World war. He served as the first commander of a Legion post at Boise.

Doctor Thompson, a spry young man of seventy-six, served for two years in the Civil war. He attempted to enlist at the start of the World war but was at first rejected. In October, 1918, he succeeded in obtaining a commission as a first lieutenant in the medical corps and served for some time in army camps in southern California.

GREETINGS FROM V. OF F. W.

Veterans of Foreign Wars Send Message to Legion During Organization's National Encampment.

Greetings to The American Legion from the Veterans of Foreign Wars were extended in the following message during the encampment of the latter organization:

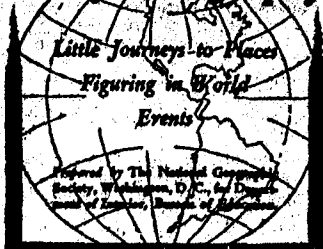
"Whereas, the twenty-first national encampment of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States is now in session at Washington, D. C., and

"Whereas, the ideals and principles of this organization are kindred to those of The American Legion, now therefore,

"Be it resolved, that the national encampment of the Veterans of Foreign Wars extend its cordial greetings to The American Legion."

Legion-Labor Union Co-Operation.
As a result of the hands-off policy of the American Legion in regard to labor disputes, there is evidence of unusual co-operation between Legion posts and labor unions in the Northwest. A number of posts have held celebrations in connection with those of labor unions. A post of the Legion at Thiel River Falls, Minn., recently staged a joint automobile and motorcycle race meet with the Central Labor union and both organizations raised a considerable sum of money.

Today's Geography



LUCERNE: THE HOSTESS OF SWITZERLAND

Lucerne, scene of important conferences among allied statesmen, is a precious jewel among Swiss cities with the lake of the same name for its setting—a lake where varied beauty and historic association are blended.

On that lake's shores William Tell is reputed to have exhibited his marksmanship to the discomfort of Gessler, and on its waters tradition holds he won his revenge by seizing the rudder of the vessel on which that tyrant held him prisoner and guided it to the rock where he aimed, not at an apple, but at his oppressor's heart.

Less picturesque, but more significant, was the formulation of the perpetual league. That famous instrument not only was the antecedent of the Swiss confederation, but marked a mile post in humanity's political freedom.

Beloved by tourists and crowded with them in normal years, Lucerne has retained many of its ancient aspects. Its crumbling wall with its watch towers give it a medieval stamp; two of its covered wooden bridges also serve as art galleries. On the walls of one are depicted scenes of the city's history and the other has paintings of the "Dance of Death."

Perhaps the most famed art object of the city is the Lion of Lucerne, considered by one critic "the most appropriate and touching monument in existence." In a grotto, hewn from the natural rock, is a dying lion pierced by a lance, with his paw protecting the fleur-de-lys of the Bourbons. Thorwaldsen, Danish sculptor, designed this tribute to the Swiss guard who died in seeking to protect Louis XVI against the mob of Paris revolutionists that stormed the Tuilleries in 1792.

Many quaint houses remain, including the wooden structures whose inflammability gave rise to curious fire regulations. Wood for building could not lie in the streets more than 24 hours. No smithy could work between 10 p.m. and 5 a.m. Every citizen was a potential fire fighter and the citizens' brigade when called to a fire had to await word from the mayor for dismissal. Women were required to aid at night by holding lights in the doorways.

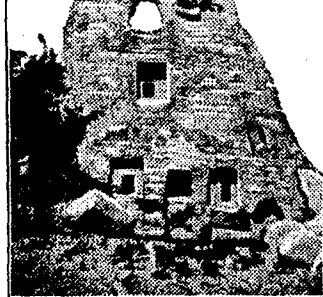
NEITHER WARS NOR RENTS DISTURB THIS CURIOUS PEOPLE

The cone dwellers of Asia Minor, technically known as the Troglodytes of Cappadocia, are harassed not at all by the housing problem, for they live in nature-made apartment houses, fashioned by trickling streams and volcanic violence.

Nor is it likely that they are concerned in the least about their political fate, for, though they inhabit what is characterized as the "cradle of civilization," they are more primitive in some particulars than the most benighted tribes of Africa or the South Pacific.

A communication by J. R. Sittlington Sterrett to the National Geographic society describes the Cappadocians as follows:

"Residing within a stone's throw, metaphorically speaking, of the wonderful civilization which flourished on the banks of the Nile 3,000 years ago; of the mighty kingdoms of Assyria and



Five-Story Cone Dwelling.

Babylonia which arose in the valleys of the Euphrates and the Tigris, their power and splendor dazzling the world 2,000 years before the Christian era; and at the very threshold of ancient Greece, with its unrivaled culture and political advancement, the Troglodytes of Cappadocia still retain toward their fellow men an attitude of mind akin to that which obtained in the stone age, when there was no such thing as human society, but every man was his own law and the mortal enemy of his neighbor.

The caves, cones and cliff dwellings of the Cappadocian Troglodytes of

both ancient and modern times are to be found in greatest number in the shadow of Asia Minor's loftiest peak, snow-clad Mt. Argæus (called by the Turks Erbas Dag), an extinct volcano, whose eruption in the dim past laid the foundations and supplied the material for these remarkable habitations, while the Hays river of the ancients (now known as Kizil Irmak) in succeeding centuries became their tireless architect.

"The practice of living in caves, in cliffs or in excavated cavities in the open plain is to be traced to a state of society which we of today have some difficulty in depicting to ourselves. And yet the central thought of the Troglodytic habit is the basic principle upon which ancient civilization was founded.

"They have sought and found for themselves complete isolation. They seem to have none of the instincts of agricultural man and they are wholly inhospitable.

"The entrances to their dwellings are high up in the almost perpendicular walls of the cliffs, and they are reached solely by means of long poles, which are light enough to be drawn up when the lord of the den and his family are safely housed. And when housed they really are safe from intrusion, for it would require a host to force an entrance against the will of the family.

"One ancient writer tells us that some Troglodytes made a practice of killing all those who were not in first-rate physical condition, on the ground that a man who cannot earn his own living has no right to live; and when one sees these dwellings, one can imagine still another reason for killing off the aged and the infirm—because of their inability to get in or out of the house."

THE TEMPLE CITIES OF JAPAN

Many feet have been treading their way to the shrines in the temple cities of Japan in recent months.

In the temples of Tokyo many bits of American pocket money went to a priest for writing a pretty prayer on a slip of paper, which the visitor, in true pilgrim fashion, pressed to his forehead and to his breast and then fastened to the temple wall in order that it might be a perpetual petition. There are 30,000 deities to whom devout Japanese write, so a few Americans' pleas scarcely clogged the celestial postal service.

There were many native pilgrims on the way to the shrines. During the summer months when the crops have been taken care of, the village folk, though they have the temples of their own patron deity and the fox god, feel that they must send out a pilgrim or two to the sacred mountains and holy places of Japan to worship in behalf of those who cannot go, and so they provide a fund for his expenses.

Nor does the emissary travel in state. Life for him loses most of its complexities. He is equipped with a cheap white cotton shirt that can be easily washed, tight-fitting trousers and a loose white cotton jacket which he tucks in with a girdle. He wears an enormous broad, stiff straw hat, and on his back he carries a piece of matting which serves him as an umbrella by day and as a bed by night. He carries his luggage in two bundles, one on his back and the other in front, usually labeled with the name of the shrine he is to visit, and somewhere about his person there is hung a little bell which tinkles as he stumps along over the weary road from mountain to mountain.

In August the pilgrim rolls off his mat and the visitor from foreign lands climbs out of bed at the crack of dawn to hear the lotus flower bloom, for the buds burst with a pleasing characteristic sound.

If Nikko is the most beautiful city in Japan, Kyoto can be called the most interesting. Here the feminine visitor finds herself bewildered by the most exquisitely wrought of all the exquisite pottery, cloisonne, bronzes, fans and velvets. After she has bought more than she can comfortably get home with, she probably will want to see a bit of the mikado's palace which covers over twenty-five acres of ground and is surrounded by a great wall with six gates, or journey out to see the largest lake in Japan, Lake Biwa, and the 1,200-year-old pine tree which stands near it.

HOW SUGAR MADE CUBA A WORLD EL DORADO

Sugar, like shoes, we once took for granted. But procuring enough for the preserving season was a problem and sugar "speak easies" are still not uncommon in lands where the supply is rationed.

Writing to the National Geographic society, William Joseph Showalter says:

"With a sugar production nearly doubled and prices more than quadrupled since 1912, one can readily see why Cuba is the world's El Dorado of 1920, and why sugar is its king.

"The imagination is almost overpowered in attempting to comprehend the vast proportions of the sugar industry of the island as it exists this year.

"The cane produced is of such tremendous volume that a procession of bull teams four abreast, reaching around the earth, would be required to move it. The crop would suffice to build a solid wall around the entire two thousand miles of the island's coast line as high as an ordinary dwelling house and thick enough for a file of four men to walk abreast on it.

Fresh Vegetables Best

That raw food contains more of the protective elements than cooked food was shown by an experiment with pigeons fed a grain diet which had been heated to destroy the protective elements. They developed beriberi in from 40 to 90 days. Other pigeons receiving raw potato in addition to heated grain were in excellent condition during the 600 days of the experiment. The protective value of

Enjoins Safety by Prayers.

A solemn service is held every summer, at the beginning of the climbing season in the Swiss mountains, among the guides, many of whom are godly men, who know they take their lives

"The sugar extracted from this cane would load a fleet of steamers reaching from Havana to New York, with a ship for every mile of the twelve hundred that stretch between the two ports. The great pyramid of Cheeto, before whose awe-inspiring proportions millions of people have stood and gazed in open-mouthed amazement, remains, after five thousand years, unrivaled as a monumental pile; but Cuba's sugar output this year would make two pyramids, each out-basing and overtopping Cheeto.

"The wealth the outgoing sugar crop brings in is not less remarkable in its proportions. Four hundred dollars out of a single crop for every human being who lives on the island—a sum almost as great as the per capita wealth produced by all the farms, all the factories, and all the mines of the United States.

"What wonder, then, that Cuba today is a land of gold and gems, richer than Midas ever was, converting Croesus, by contrast, into a beggar?

"How much net profit the cane grower reaps at 1920 prices is hard to estimate, but that it is large will appear when the methods of cane growing are stated. To begin with, after the first crop the planter does not have to bother with seed time for about ten years. The soil is so deep and so fertile that one planting produces ten harvests. Neither does cultivation bother him after the first season, for the blades stripped from one crop form a mulch that keeps the weeds from competing with the next one."

WHEN THE NEAR EAST IS CIVILIZED

"Roughly speaking, Turkey was divided into five great provinces or districts—Anatolia, Armenia, Kurdistan, Mesopotamia and Syria."

With this introduction William H. Hall, writing to the National Geographic society, sketches the resources of Turkey, which have an opportunity for development with measures that may lessen the horrors of misrule, injustice, deportations, massacres and famines. He continues:

"The same broad plains that once fed and clothed a population of 40,000,000 human beings are waiting today for the plow, the seed and the reaper. The mountains still hold riches of coal and iron and copper. The quarries still have abundance of choice marbles. The rivers are potent with power to turn the wheels of industry. The natural harbors invite the fleets of merchantmen and the river valleys and mountain passes offer natural lines of communication and transportation, as in the days when great caravans passed along these natural highways, bringing the merchandise of the East to the markets of the West.

"The whole land has been lying fallow for centuries—a land that modern exploration reveals as one of the richest in natural resources and as unsurpassed by its geographic location for being the trade center of the world. "Exclusive of Arabia, which was never more than nominally under the Ottoman dominion, the Turkish empire embraced about 540,000 square miles of territory at the beginning of the World war. Only about 10,000 square miles of this were in Europe. The Turkish empire was equivalent to the combined areas of the British Isles, France and pre-war Germany. It was larger than all of the area east of the Mississippi and north of the Ohio and Potomac rivers.

"The boundaries were the Black sea and Caucasus on the north, Egypt on the south, the Aegean and Mediterranean seas on the west, and the Syrian desert and Persia on the east. "Turkey in Europe was almost a negligible area, as the Balkan wars stripped the Turks of all their European possessions except Constantinople and a narrow territory along the Bosphorus and Dardanelles, some 40 miles in width; so that when the Turkish empire has been referred to in recent years, Asiatic Turkey was nearly all that the term embraced.

BIRDS HAVE YANKEE ACCENT

Londoners Complain That Imported Parrots Are Spoiling the Pronunciation of Their Fellows.

The American accent has invaded even the parrot house at the zoological gardens here, according to a London correspondent of the Detroit News.

A large consignment of birds has arrived from America. Many have names that suggest cocktails. Hither-to scientists may have doubted the ability of cockatoos to acquire a recognizable accent, but two of these birds fresh from the New York zoo speak unmistakable American. They ask repeatedly for "clam oysters on a half shell" and beg their amused visitors for hominy or California peanuts. Sometimes in an outburst of patriotism they repeat "California" until it would appear that it is the only word in their vocabulary. And now a very small green parrot in the cage next door is trying to say "California," too.

A disgusted keeper stands outside his cage saying "London, London, London," but the small green parrot does not seem to admire his accent so much as that of his feathered transatlantic friends.

Bright!

When school opened this fall, Harold had a new teacher. He reported on her to his mother as follows:

"Her name is Miss Albright, and she is bright, and believe me, she is going to make the rest of us bright or know the reason why."

In their hands when they ascend the Alps. So they bring their ropes with them and lay them at the foot of one of the mountains. Old and new ropes are piled in a heap, and then they are blessed by the pastor. Prayer is offered that the old ropes may still bear the strain safely and that the new ropes may prove equal to all the stress placed upon them. The guides are commended to the mercy of God that in their daily ascents they may be kept safe, and that they may succeed the travelers who trust in them.

DR. THOUGHT HE WAS DEAD

Three Years or More Bronchial Trouble and Bad Cough Did Not Respond to Treatment. Was Given Up.

FEELING FINE NOW.

"For three years or more I had been troubled with bronchial trouble and a very bad cough. I just kept going down hill, my nerves were completely worn out it seemed and I had no appetite and I went down in weight from 140 pounds to 115 pounds and the doctor that treated me for two years just gave me up. I was so weak I couldn't get out of the house and thought I was going to die.

"I had tried everything there was to try until I saw Hypo-Cod advertised in the Detroit paper, so I sent for two bottles and before I had taken half of one bottle I began to feel better, and by the time I had the first bottle I was able to get out and walk around, so I weighed myself and I had gained five pounds on the first bottle and in a few days I was able to walk down town, and the people that thought I was going to die would ask me what I had taken, and I surely told them Earle's Hypo-Cod. I also met the doctor that had treated me for two years and he said 'Why, I thought you were dead,' but here I am feeling fine, and working every day, and weigh five pounds more than I ever weighed. I know if I had not taken this tonic I would have been dead now, or I believe so anyway. I know Hypo-Cod is the greatest medicine in the world and I cannot say enough for it," declared Mr. B. T. Owen, (painter) 511 N. Syracuse St., Lansing, Mich.

You can get the genuine Earle's Hypo-Cod in the famous orange colored carton which has been recommended by thousands of users at your druggists.—Adv.

Pleasant Mistake.

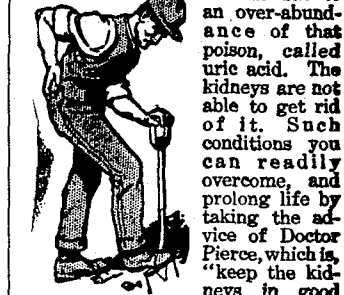
"When Willie got a letter this morning he frowned and said he supposed it was another of those notes from his mother beginning 'I'll, don't!'"

"Was it?"

"No; when he opened it he found it was a billet-doux."

Ouch! Such Pain!

It takes you right in the back! Sometimes in the arm, hip or foot. It's all due to an over-abundance of that poison, called uric acid. The kidneys are not able to get rid of it. Such conditions you can readily overcome, and prolong life by taking the advice of Doctor Pierce, which is, "keep the kidneys in good order." Avoid too much meat, alcohol or tea. Drink plenty of pure water, preferably hot water, before meals, and drive the uric acid out of the system by taking "Anuric." This can be obtained at any drug store, in tablet form.



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ROY RIVER, MINN.—I have used Dr. Pierce's medicines with good results in my family for years. At one time I was taken with La Grippe and I felt no run down and with pains in my hips and back. I took different medicines without getting any benefit. At last I sent and got some Anuric and took it and am feeling well and doing a good day's work. When I commenced taking the Anuric Tablets I could hardly get out of bed, felt as though a knife was sticking in my back."—A. C. BLODGETT.

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Eaton's Settled It!

"Eaton's is wonderful," says O. W. Burton. "I had been a sufferer from stomach trouble for 20 years and now I am well."

Eaton's gets right after the cause of stomach troubles by taking up and carrying out the acidity and gases and, of course, when the cause is removed, the sufferer gets well. If you have sourness, belching, indigestion, food repeating or any other stomach trouble, take Eaton's tablets after each meal and find relief. Big box costs only a trifle with your drugg



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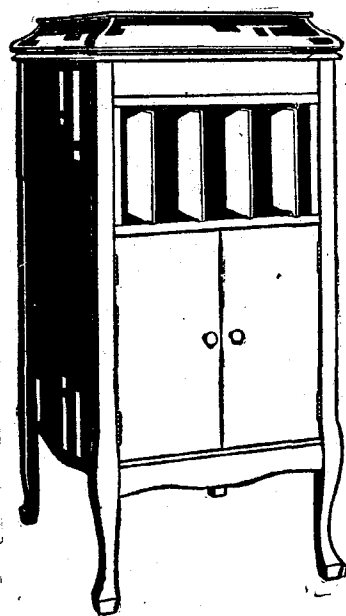
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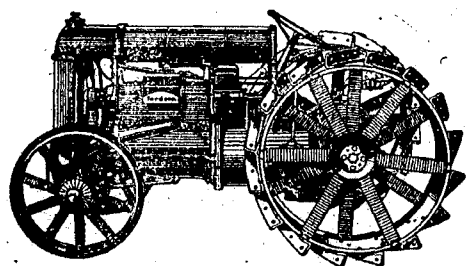
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GRAYLING, THURSDAY, OCT. 28.

GROESBECK OR FERRIS FOR GOVERNOR?

Who Will Appoint A Successor to
Newberry if He is Convicted?

There is no doubt but that either Alexander J. Groesbeck or Woodbridge N. Ferris will be the next governor of Michigan. Both are able and strong men and each have served faithfully and well in public office—one as attorney general and the other as governor. Mr. Ferris is an old time favorite and has been elected twice by the voters of Michigan and been favored with the highest gift within their province—governor. He has been twice so honored and each time he served faithfully and well.

Mr. Groesbeck is a Detroit. He is an able attorney general, and without a doubt would be equally as peerless as governor. His strength lies not only in his home city, where he has an almost united backing of his fellow partisans, but his strength lies thruout every county in the state. He will be a pretty hard man for Mr. Ferris to defeat, apparently, and it is doubtful that he will do so. Mr. Ferris has had two terms as governor and with many that seems enough. Also Mr. Groesbeck is putting up a strong campaign and is making votes wherever he speaks. Thus it may be seen that there is going to be a lively scrap for the office for governor.

There is another reason why the republicans this time are sticking pretty closely to their party this fall. Should the Supreme court find that the district court was right in convicting Senator Truman H. Newberry, charged with conspiracy, in the district court at Grand Rapids last winter, then no doubt the Senator will resign and there will be a vacancy in the office of United States senator of Michigan. In this event the next governor will appoint a successor to succeed Mr. Newberry. Should Groesbeck be elected governor he no doubt will appoint some republican to the office. And should Ferris be elected he will also, no doubt, appoint a member of his own political party—a democrat.

This matter concerns the voters of Michigan just as much as it might were there to be elected on November 2nd a United States senator. Should Mr. Harding be elected president, and it looks much as tho he would be, there should be a republican house to work hand in hand with him in order that he may carry out unhampered the policy he maintains and to bring about the change in administrative affairs that the people seem to demand at this time. Were Cox to be elected, a democrat senator from Michigan would add to his strength in the administration of federal affairs.

There is no disputing the fact that if it were not for the situation brot about by the Newberry affair that Mr. Ferris might be sure of thousands of votes that he will not get because of it. We believe the public generally disapproves of the tactics of Mr. Newberry and desire his retirement, and it should come about regardless of the decision of the supreme court, and a successor should be appointed, and a new name will then appear upon the senatorial roll from Michigan. Who will it be?

If Mr. Groesbeck is elected governor he will appoint a republican. If Mr. Ferris is elected he will appoint a democrat. The voters should consider this matter in making up their minds which candidate for governor they will vote for. It is important and of grave concern to the people of Michigan and to the people of this American republic.

MASQUERADE BALL.

There will be a masquerade dance at the South Side hall Saturday night October 30. Yourself and friends are cordially invited to attend.

FINANCIAL LOSS DUE TO COLDS

It is estimated that the average man loses three days time each year from inability to work on account of having a cold. Much of this loss can be avoided by treating every cold as soon as the first symptoms of the disease appear. Chamberlain's cough remedy has won a wide reputation and immense sale by its cures of this disease. Try it. You are certain to be pleased with its pleasant taste and the prompt relief which it affords. Adv.

"These Rats Wouldn't Eat My Best Grain," Says Fred Lamb.

"It's hard to keep rats out of a feed store. Tried for years. A neighboring store sold me some RAT-SNAP. It worked wonders. Gathered up dead rats every morning. Bought more RAT-SNAP. Haven't a rat now. They wouldn't eat my best grain when I threw RAT-SNAP around."

Three sizes, 35c, 65c, \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed by A. M. Lewis, Druggist. Adv.

A SAFE TEST.

For those who are in need of a remedy for kidney troubles and backache, it is a good plan to try Doan's Kidney Pills. They are strongly recommended by Grayling people. Ask your neighbor!

Mrs. Edw. C. King, Grayling, says: "Doan's Kidney Pills are a splendid remedy. My back was very lame and a dull ache just seemed to settle there. When I had any lifting or stooping to do I always got a pain in my back. I was often tired and weak and all worn out. I began to worry and became depressed and irritable. I was often blinded by little specks and headaches came on me suddenly. Through my mother's advice I purchased several boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills at Olson's Drug Store, and they cured me in a grand way."

Price 60c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. King had. Foster-Dilburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y. Adv.

LOCAL NEWS

A reduction of 33 1-3% has been made on all Royal Society goods, including threads and fancy stamped goods. The Gift Shop.

Regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of the Michelson Memorial church will be held Friday afternoon, Nov. 5. Important business.

Just arrived, the new line of boy's dress shoes "The Howard shoe" that wears and looks "just like dad's." See my ad in this issue. E. J. Olson.

Rev. and Mrs. Aaron Mitchell and son Allen motored here from East Tawas last Thursday and spent the day visiting friends. Rev. Mitchell, who was a former pastor of the M. E. church here has been transferred from Saginaw to the M. E. church at East Tawas.

Mrs. James W. Sorenson arrived home Friday of last week from Detroit, where she had gone a couple of weeks ago to undergo an operation for goitre at Harper hospital in that city. Mrs. Sorenson had been in ill health for a number of months. During the summer she spent most of the time at Lake Margrethe and also down the river to try and regain her health. Her niece, Miss Elsie Erickson, who has been here for the past couple of months caring for her aunt, also accompanied her to Detroit and returned here last Friday. Mrs. Sorenson is feeling very much improved as the result of the recent operation.

Floyd, age 3 years, 7 months and 15 days, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nelson of Frederic, passed away at Mercy hospital, at 5:00 o'clock Monday afternoon, after being ill a little over six weeks. Shortly after the little boy was taken sick he was brought to Mercy hospital where everything possible was done for him. During the past few weeks he has suffered intensely and his death altho a shock to his parents had been expected daily. The funeral was held in Grayling Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Sorenson, the latter who is a cousin of Mrs. Nelson. Rev. Terhune of Frederic officiated at the services, which took place at two o'clock. Besides his parents, the little child is survived by two sisters and a brother.

Insure yourself by getting first quality rubber footwear at E. J. Olson's.

GOT HER GOOD HEALTH OUT OF A BOTTLE.

Mrs. Edward Raifsnider, Wabash, Ind. says that she owes her good health to Chamberlain's tablets. She suffered from distress after eating and constipation and was completely cured by the use of these tablets. Adv.

WANTS

Advertisements will be accepted under this heading at the rate of 5 cents per line. No adv. taken for less than 25 cts. There are about six words to the line.
SEND MONEY WITH ORDER.

WANTED: Competent man to tend furnace at Michelson Memorial M. E. Church. Apply at Pastor's residence.

FOR SALE—ABOUT 60 CHICKENS
Fine for the table. George Patton, near South Side Store.

LOST—FOX FUR, SUNDAY, OCT. 24, between Wakeley's and Grayling. Finder please leave at Olson's Drug Store.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GIRL or woman for general housework; Good wages; No washing; Permanent position for right party. Inquire at Avalanche office.

FOR SALE CHEAP—ONE HOUSE with bath and lights. Also double Harness. Anthony Nelson. 10 28 1

WANTED TO RENT—HOUSE by couple with one child. Address Alva F. Richardson, Roscommon, Mich.

SHOW CASE FOR SALE. Inquire at the Gift Shop.

FOUND—A SMALL YALE KEY on a small ring. Call for same at Avalanche office.

FOR SALE—A HOUSE AND TWO lots with a new garage and barn on the place. Located on Ogemaw and Plum Sts. Inquire of Mrs. Edward Kabbell. 10-28-2.

FOR SALE—ONE FORD MOTOR Truck. 1919 model. H. L. Fitch.

WANTED—CLEAN COTTON WIPING rags, at the Avalanche office.

CHICKENS FOR SALE—INQUIRE of J. W. Randolph, South Side.

JUNK WANTED—WILL PAY THE highest market price for all kinds of junk, paper, old magazines, etc. H. Hirschberg, Grayling. Phone 881.

Where There's a Baby on Farm Keep Rat-Snap.

Rats are on most farms. Once they get inside a house—look out. Rats kill infants—biting them is not unusual. Nursing bottles attract rats. Break a cake of RAT-SNAP and throw it around. It will surely rid you of rats and mice.

Three sizes, 35c, 65c, \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed by A. M. Lewis, Druggist. Adv.

GRIP.

Grip usually starts just the same as a cold with a watery discharge from the nose. You are much more likely to contract the grip when you have a cold. For that reason when grip is prevalent you should go to bed as soon as you feel that you are taking cold and stay in bed until fully recovered which should not be long if you take Chamberlain's Cough remedy. Three days in bed now is better than three weeks later on. Adv.

Saturday Specials

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EXTRA SPECIAL

Fresh Eggs, dozen 75c

24 1/2 pounds Hoo Hoo Flour.....\$1.75
24 1/2 pounds Rye Graham.....\$1.30
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Van Camp's Milk, Tall Cans.....15c
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100 pounds White Bran.....\$3.10
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in brown or black English or Foot form lasts, goodyear welt, grain leather ensole, and counter, with Wingfoot Rubber Heel.

A Companion Shoe "Just Like Dad's"

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package.....10c
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5 Pounds Sweet Potatoes.....28c

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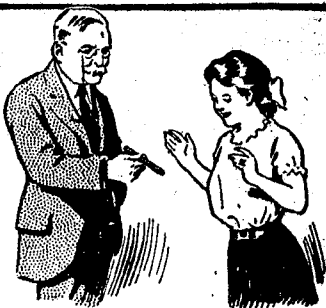
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LOCAL NEWS

GRAYLING, THURSDAY, OCT. 28.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Curtis spent a few days of last week in Detroit.

Royal Society stamped sofa pillows have been reduced from \$1.75 to \$1.25 at the Gift Shop.

Miss Beatrice Gierke of Detroit is here for an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Gierke.

Mr. and Mrs. Cameron Game are being congratulated on the arrival of a daughter at their home Sunday, October 24th.

One Doctor's confinement case found on the South Branch road between Grayling and Richardson's. Inquire of Wm. L. Williams, South Side.

Mr. and Mrs. Cripps and family of Mio visited over Sunday at the home of the former's brother Al Cripps. The latter also entertained other relatives from Mio, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Duval entertained a few friends at their home Friday evening, the occasion being the birthday anniversary of Mr. Duval. There were ten present.

Mrs. Mose Laurent and son Fred returned home Monday from Cheboygan, where they had been for the past week, the former being called there by the critical illness of her mother Mrs. L. Malenfant.

Mr. and Mrs. Einer Rasmussen of Monroe, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Williamson of Chicago, cousins of the former motored here Saturday and remained over Sunday guests at the Peter Rasmussen and Adam Gierke homes.

Two farm homes near Mio were destroyed by fire last week, one belonging to George Moore and the other to E. J. LaDuc. The latter farm was located near Luzerne and was almost a total loss to the owner, he carrying no insurance.

The Herald-Times published at West Branch have installed a Mergenthaler linotype in their office and last week had it in operation in time to assist in getting out their weekly edition. This is the greatest invention in the world to assist in getting out a newspaper, and no printing plant can afford to be without one. The Herald-Times are to be congratulated on their progress.

Sportmen's specials—high rubber shoes for hunting. E. J. Olson.

Royal Society crochet cotton is now 15c a ball at the Gift shop, formerly 20c per ball.

Miss Ingeborg Hanson was absent from Sorenson Bros. store a couple of days this week on account of illness.

Mrs. Charles Lytle returned Friday from Cadillac where she has been a patient for the past five weeks at Mercy hospital in that city.

Richard Lovelly came from Bay City Tuesday, where he is employed, for a few days' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Lovelly.

Misses Mae Whipple and Inez Gibbons and the Messrs. Walter Crosley and Russell Cripps of Mio enjoyed an auto trip to Cadillac Sunday.

Holger Hanson resumed his duties at the Bank Monday morning after a two weeks' vacation, which was spent in Cleveland, New York, Detroit and Chicago.

Mrs. Minnie Doherty spent last week in Bay City visiting relatives returning Monday. She has taken a position as clerk at the Grayling Mercantile Co. store.

Messrs. Henry and Christian Hornbeck went to Detroit last Saturday afternoon. The former returned here Monday but his brother remained for a few days longer.

Many have reported seeing wild strawberries in blossom. Why go to Florida when we have such a delightful climate right here in northern Michigan?—Cheboygan Democrat.

Don't discard your amendment ballot. Be sure and vote it. It is important. The School amendment should be defeated. Vote no on that one. It is the bottom one on the ballot.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Hanson, daughter Elizabeth and son Neil of Detroit have been guests since last Friday at the home of the former's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Holger Hanson.

The regular meeting of the Altar society of St. Mary's church will be held at the K. of C. hall Thursday afternoon, November 4. All members are requested to be there at 2:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Earl Kidd is here from Bay City for a couple of weeks' stay. She is assisting in Clark's orchestra who are engaged to play for a number of dancing parties within the next couple of weeks.

Biggest and best line of rubber footwear in the city for men and boys at E. J. Olson's.

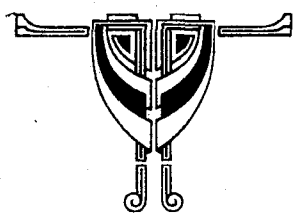
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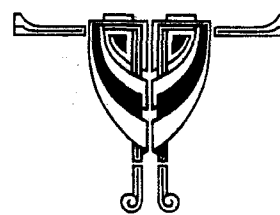
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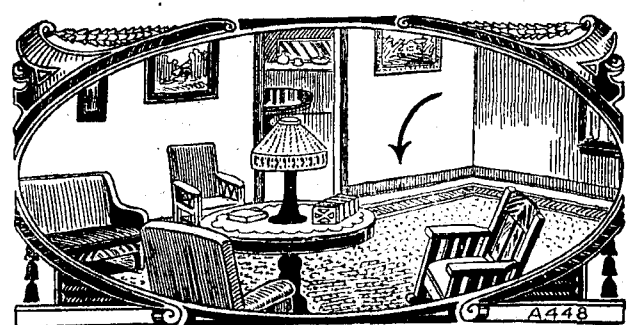
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A fine line of men's and boys' high top shoes at reasonable prices at E. J. Olson's.

George Holmes, assistant purchasing agent for the M. C. R. R. was in Grayling on business Wednesday.

Benton Jorgenson, and Miss Beatrice Bauman of Detroit, who have been guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adler Jorgenson the past week, expect to return to Detroit tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Ford, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. McArthur and children of Pontiac and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Russell of Bay City are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Schreck. They motored through.

Mrs. A. J. Redson and little great grandson, Sam Gust of Vanderbilt are here for a couple of weeks' visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Cooley. Mrs. Redson is the mother of Mrs. Cooley.

Pretty stamped night gowns have been reduced from \$4.00 to \$2.50 a garment, all made up ready to be brodered—and Royal Society goods. All other Royal Society goods have been reduced in proportion.

The Gift Shop.
Miss Libbie Gibbons spent last week in Chicago, the guest of friends. She returned Saturday and was accompanied home by Miss Grace White of the Illinois Training School for nurses, who is visiting here for a week or so.

E. J. Olson has a fine line of rubber footwear for men and boys. It's all first quality.

Mrs. Leon Taylor of Traverse City has come to Grayling to spend the winter. She is employed as clerk at the H. Petersen grocery, at which place she clerked last winter during her stay here. Her husband will arrive later.

Local Post American Legion are planning on giving a big dancing party at the Temple theatre, Thursday November 11, to celebrate the signing of the Armistice. Clark's orchestra will play and a general good time is in store for all who attend. Plan on being there.

George F. Sachs of Lewiston had a peculiar experience recently, as he was driving on a road near Lewiston after dark. He had his lights on his Oakland auto and was traveling along about twenty miles an hour when he collided with a big buck deer in the road. When Mr. Sachs saw the deer it was about ten feet away and before he could bring the machine to a stop, the collision occurred. The hood of the auto was smashed and the windshield broken to bits, and not leaving well enough alone he gave another lurch and smashed the radiator, and then disappeared leaving only a few bunches of hair. Mr. Sachs purchased the car from C. F. Underhill of Lovells early in September.

(Additional local news on last page.)

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| Corned Beef, 1 pound Tin.....31c | Celery, Large Stalks, 3 for.....10c |
| Van Camps Spaghetti, 2 Cans.....39c | Vermicelli or Macaroni, 2 Pkgs....25c |
| San Marto Coffee, 3 pounds.....\$1.19 | Onions, good dry keepers, 100 lb. Sack.....\$2.15 |
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WEBSTER—MAN'S MAN

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"I'LL SEND HER BACK TO THE UNITED STATES."

John Stuart Webster, mining engineer, man's man, thirty-nine years young, boarded a train in Death Valley, California, on his way back to civilization after cleaning up \$100,000. But he looks like a hobo. Then he meets a distressed lady, who makes his heart flop over for the first time in all his days. He eliminates the offending man after the style of the man's man the world over. Being what he is and also girl-boy, he does not take advantage of his opportunity. But he just has to find out who the no-longer-distressed lady is, being determined to hatch up a scheme to meet her again—and marry her. She is Dolores Rusey. Clad in purple and fine linen, John goes to the Engineers' club in Denver, the nearest approach to a home he has known in twenty years. There he is offered a \$25,000-a-year job, with the certainty of a fortune, by a capitalist friend, Edward P. Jerome. While he is hesitating, being loath to go to work again so soon, he receives a delayed letter from his own particular pal, Billy Geary, asking him to finance a gold-mining proposition in Central America and go fifty-fifty with him on the profits. Thereupon he turns down the big job and decides to answer the call of friendship and adventure to Sorbante. Jerome goes with John to the depot, trying to get him to change his mind. They meet the distressed lady on her way to the same train. John lifts his hat, but gets the cut direct from the girl, who does not recognize him. John tells Jerome the whole story. Jerome secretly sees the girl and later wires her, offering her \$10,000 if she induces John to take his job inside of 90 days. The girl wires acceptance. The scene now shifts to Buenaventura, Sorbante, where Geary, on his uppers, is eating his heart out looking for a cablegram from his old partner.

CHAPTER IV—Continued.

For two months he had existed entirely because of the leniency of Mother Jenks in the matter of credit. He could not pay her cash, devotedly as he hoped to do some day, and he considered it of the most vital importance that in the interim he should somehow survive. Therefore, in lieu of cash he paid her compliments, which she snapped up greedily.

An inventive genius was Billy. He never employed the same defensive tactics two days in succession, and when personal flattery threatened to fail him, a large crayon reproduction of the late Henry Jenks, which hung over the back bar, was a never-failing source of inspiration.

This was the "sainted 'Enery" previously referred to by Mother Jenks. He had been a sergeant in Her Britannic Majesty's Royal Horse artillery, and upon retiring to the reserve had barked to a proposition to emigrate to Sorbante and accept a commission as colonel of artillery with the government forces then in the throes of a revolutionary attack. The rebels had triumphed, and as a result 'Enery had been sentenced via the customary expeditions route; whereupon his wife had had recourse to her early profession of barmaid, and El Buen Amigo had resulted.

However, let us return to our sheeps, as Mr. Geary would have expressed it. Seemingly the effect of Billy's compliment was instantly evident, for Mother Jenks set out two glasses and a bottle.

"I know yer a trifter, Billy Geary," she snipped, "but if I do s'y it as she—didn't, I was accounted as 'and some barmaid as you'd find in Pictol town. I've lost my good looks, what with grief an' worritin' since losin' my sainted 'Enery, but I was 'andome once."

"I can well believe it, Mother—since you are handsome still! For my part," he continued confidentially, as with shaking hand he filled his brandy glass, "you'll excuse this drunkard's drink, Mother, but I need it. I had the shakes again last night—for my part, I prefer the full-blown rose to the bud."

Mother Jenks fluttered like a debutante as she poured her drink. They touched glasses, caudoused worldlings that they were.

He tossed off his drink. "It warmed and strengthened him, after his night of chills and fever, and brazenly he returned to the attack."

"Changing the subject from feminine grace and charm to manly strength and virtue, I've been marking lately the resolute poise of your martyred husband's head on his fine military shoulders. There was a man, if I may judge from his photograph, that would fight a wildcat."

"Oh, my 'e wouldn't!" Mother Jenks hastened to declare. "You know, Willie, I was present when they shot 'im, a-va-lin't to 'claim 'is body. 'E kisses me good-bye, an' says 'e: 'Brace on, ol' girl. Remember your husband's been a sergeant in 'Er Majesty's Royal 'Orse artillery, an' don't let the bloody blighters see yer cry.' Then 'e walks out front, with 'is fine straight back to the wall, draws a circle on 'is blue band with white chalk an' says: 'Shoot at that yer yellow-bellied benders, an' be a—d to yer!'"

"To be the widow of such a gallant son of Mars," Billy declared, "is a greater honor than being the wife of a duke. Ah, Mother, 'e added with a note of genuine gratitude and sincerity, 'you've been awfully good to me. I don't know what I'd have done without you. 'E laid his hand on her fat arm. 'Mother, one of these days I'll get mine, and when I do I'm going to stake you to a nice little pub back in Bristol."

She smiled at him with motherly tenderness and shook her head. In a concrete niche in the mortuary of the Cathedral de Vera Cruz the bones of her sainted 'Enery reposed, and when her hour came she would lie beside him.

"For a sinner like me, 'Enery was too good to me, an' I'd trust yer for double the score, shelp me. 'Eving knows I 'ave'n't much, but wot I 'ave I shares freely with them I likes."

Mother Jenks preceded him into the shady side of the veranda, where ordinarily she was wont to breakfast in solitary state. Her table was set for two this morning, however. Billy flipped an adventurous cockroach off the table and fell to with fine appetite.

He was dallying with a special brew of coffee with condensed milk in it, when the Jamaica negro entered from the cantina to announce Don Juan Chiftrero with a cablegram.

"A cablegram!" Mother Jenks cried. "God's truth! I'll wager the pub 'is for you, Willie, Bob!"—turning to the negro, and addressing him in her own orate brand of Spanish—"give Don

Juan a drink. If 'e 'asn't helped 'imself while yer back is turned, an' bring the cablegram 'ere."

Within the minute Bob returned with a long yellow envelope, which he handed Mother Jenks. Without so much as a glance at the superscription, she handed it to Billy Geary, who tore it open and read:

"Los Angeles, Cal., U. S. A., August 10, 1913.

"Henrietta Wilkins, Calle de Concordia, No. 19, Buenaventura, Sorbante, C. A.

"Leaving today to visit you. Will cable from New Orleans exact date arrival. DOLORES."

The shadow of deep disappointment settled over Billy's face as he read. Mother Jenks noted it instantly.

"Wot's 'e got to s'y, Willie?" she demanded.

"It isn't a he. It's a she," Billy replied. "Besides, the cablegram isn't for me at all. It's for one Henrietta Wilkins, Calle de Concordia, No. 19, and who the devil Henrietta Wilkins may be is a mystery to me. Ever have any boarder by that name, Mother?"

Mother Jenks' red face had gone white. "Henrietta Wilkins was my maiden name, Willie," she confessed soberly, "an' there's only one human being as 'ud cable me or write me by that name. Gord, Willie, wot's 'appened?"

Billy read the message aloud, and when he had finished, to his amazement, Mother Jenks laid her head on the table and began to weep.

CHAPTER V.

Without quite realizing why he did so, Billy decided that fear and not grief was at the bottom of the good creature's distress, and in his awkward, masculine way he placed his arm around Mother Jenks' shoulders, shook her gently, and bade her remember that chaos might come and go again, but he, the said William Geary, would remain her true and steadfast friend in any and all emergencies that might occur.

"Gor! bless yer heart, Willie," Mother Jenks sniffled. "I dunno wot 'e'll ever get into 'is head, an' wot I tell wot I've been up to this past fifteen year."

"Whatever you've been up to, Mother, it was a kind and charitable deed—of that much I am certain," Billy replied loftily and—to his own surprise—sincerely.

"As Gord is my judge, Willie, I started out that w'y," moaned Mother Jenks, and she squeezed Billy's hand as if from that yellow, shaking member she would draw aid and comfort. "Er nyme is Dolores Rusey. 'Er father was Don Ricardo Rusey, president an' this blasted 'ell on earth w'en me an' my sainted 'Enery first come to Buenaventura. 'E was too good for the yellow-bellied beggars; 'e tried to do somethin' for them an' run the government on the square, an' they couldn't understand, all along o' 'avin' been kicked an' cuffed by a long line of bloody rotters. It was Don Ricardo as gives my sainted 'Enery 'is commission as colonel in the artillery."

"You've 'eard me tell," Mother Jenks continued, "ow the rebels got 'at a dozen Hummerican gunners—deserters from the navy—an' blew 'Enery's battery to bits: 'ow the government forces fell back upon Buenaventura, an' as 'ow w'en the dorgs begun to wonder if they mightn't lose, they quit by the 'undreds an' went over to the rebel side, leavin' Don Ricardo an' 'Enery an' my 'e fifty o' the gentry in the palace. In course they fought to a finish; 'ristocrats, all of them, they 'ad to die fightin' or facin' a firin' squad."

Billy nodded. He had heard the tale before, including the recital of the sainted 'Enery's gallant dash from the blazing palace in an effort to save Don Ricardo's only child, a girl of seven, and of his capture and subsequent execution.

"That ended the revolution," Mother Jenks continued. "But 'ere's some think 'e never told a livin' soul. Shortly before 'Enery was executed, 'e told me where 'e'd 'id the youngster—in a culvert out on the Malecon; so I 'ired a four-wheeler an' went out an' rescued the pore lamb. I 'id 'er until the arrivall o' the next fruit steamer, w'en I shipped 'er to New Orleans in care o' the stewardess. 'E 'ad 'er put in the Catholic convent there, for as 'Enery said: 'Henrietta, keep an eye on the little nipper, an' do yer damndest to see she's raised a ldy. 'Er father was a gentleman, an' you never want to forget 'e made you Mrs. Colonel Jenks. So 'I've made a ldy out o' her, Willie: education, planner lessons, paintin', singin', an' 'deprent. After she graduated from the convent, I 'ad her take a course in the University o' California—New Orleans wasn't 'ealthy for 'er, an' she

needed a chynge o' climate—an' for the last two years she's been teachin' in the 'igh school in Los Angeles."

"An' you haven't seen her in all these years?" Geary demanded.

"Not a look, Willie. She's been after me ever since she graduated from the convent to let her come 'ome an' wait on me, but 'I've told 'er to write—that I'd be comin' soon to wait her. An' now, shelp me, she won't wait no longer; she's comin' to wait me! Gor, Willie, she's on her w'y!"

"So this cablegram would indicate," Geary observed. "Nevertheless, Mother, I'm at a loss to know why you should feel so cut up over the impending visit."

There was real fear in Mother Jenks' tear-dimmed eyes. "I cawn't let 'er see me," she wailed. "I wasn't let 'er w'en my sainted 'Enery entrusted the lamb to me; it wasn't until after they executed 'Enery that I commenced to slip—an' now look at me. Look at me, Willie Geary; look at me, I s'y. Wot do yer see? Aw, don't tell me I'm young an' 'andome, for I know wot I am. I'm a frowsy, drunken, disreputable baggage, with no education or nothink. All along, hever since she learned to write me a letter, I've been 'Enrietta Wilkins to 'er, an' Mother Jenks to every beach-combin' beggar in the Caribbean tropics. I've lied to 'er, Willie. I've wrote 'er as 'ow 'er father, before 'e died, give me enough money to educate 'er like a ldy—"

Again Mother Jenks' grief overcame her. "Gor, Willie, I ain't respectable. She's comin' to see me—an' I cawn't let 'er. She mustn't know 'ow I got the money for 'er education—sellin' 'ell-fire to a pack of rotten dorgs an' consortin' with the scum of this stinkin' 'ole! Oh, Willie, you've got to 'elp me. I cawn't 'ave 'er comin' to El Buen Amigo to see me, an' I cawn't ruin 'er reputation by callin' on 'er in public at the 'Otel Mateo. Oh, Gor, Willie, Mother's come a cropper."

Willie agreed with her. He patted the sinful gray head of his landlady and waited for her to regain her composure, the while he racked his agile brain for a feasible plan to fit the emergency.

"She been picturin' me in 'er mind all these years, Willie—picturin' a fraud," wailed Mother Jenks. "If she sees me now, wot a shock she'll get, pore sweetheart—an' 'er the spittin' image of a hangel, and oh, Willie, while she don't remember wot I looked like, think o' the shock if she meets me! In 'er lawst letter she said as 'ow I was the only hancher she had in life. Ho, yes. A sweet-lookin' hancher I am—an' 'I was 'opin' to die



The Sainted 'Enery's Gallant Dash.

before she found out. I've got a hancher in my 'art, Willie, so the surgeon on the mail boat tells me, an' wot I go, I'll go like—that!" Mother Jenks snapped her cigarette-stained fingers. "I'm fifty-seven, Willie, an' I haven't been no bloom'n' hangel. 'She wrung her hands. 'Oh, w'y 'e'll couldn't them hearties 'ave busted in time to save my lamb the 'umillatin' to the likes o' me for wot she's got—an' 'ow I got it for 'er."

Billy Geary had a bright idea. "Well," he said, "why not die temporarily—if you feel that way about it? You could come back from the grave after she's gone."

But Mother Jenks shook her head. "No," she declared. "While Dolores is self-supportin' now, still, if anythink 'appened an' she was to need 'elp, 'elp is somethin' no ghost can give. Think again, Willie. Gor, lad, w're's yer brains?"

"Well," Billy countered thoughtfully, "apparently there's no way of heading her off before she takes the steamer at New Orleans, so we'll take it for granted she'll arrive here in due course. About the time she's due, suppose you run up to San Miguel de Padua for a couple of weeks and leave me to run El Buen Amigo in your absence. I'll play fair with you, Mother, so help me. I'll account for every centavo. I'll borrow some decent clothes from Leber the day the steamer gets in; then I'll go aboard and look over the passenger list, and if she's aboard, I'll tell her you closed your house and started for California to visit her on the last north-bound steamer—that her cablegram arrived last after you had started; that the

cable company, knowing I am a friend of yours, showed me the message and that I took it upon myself to call and explain that as a result of your departure for the United States it will be useless for her to land—useless and dangerous, because cholera is raging in Buenaventura, although the port authorities deny it."

"Willie," Mother Jenks interrupted impressively, a ghost of her old debonaire spirit shining through her tears, "yer don't owe me a bloom'n' sixpence! Yer've sved the day, sved my reputation, an' sved a ldy's peace o' mind. Kiss me, yer precious byby."

So Billy kissed her—gravely and with filial reverence, for he had long suspected Mother Jenks of being a pearl catch before swine, and now he was certain of it.

"I'll send her back to the United States and promise to cable you to await her there," Billy continued. "Of course, we can't help it if you and the cablegram miss connections, and once the young lady is back in the United States, I dare say she'll have to stay there a couple of years before she can save the price of another sea voyage. And in the meantime she may marry—"

"Or that haneurism may 'ave turned the trick before that," Mother Jenks suggested candidly but joyously. "In course she'll be disappointed, but then disappointment never lays 'eavy on a young 'eart, Willie; an' 'eim' disappointed at not seein' a person you ain't really acquainted with ain't as bad as some disappointments."

"I guess I know," Billy Geary replied bitterly. "If that cablegram had only been for me! Mother, if my old partner could, by some miracle, manage to marry this Dolores girl, your arteries and your aneurisms might burst and be damned, but the girl would be safe."

"Mybe," Mother Jenks suggested hopefully, "yer might fix it up for her w'en I'm gone. From all haccunts 'e's no-end a gentleman."

"He's a he-man," Mr. Geary declared with conviction. He sighed. "John Stuart Webster, wherever you are, please write or cable," he murmured.

CHAPTER VI.

The ancient bromide to the effect that man proposes but God disposes was never better exemplified than in the case of John Stuart Webster, who, having formulated certain daring plans for the morrow and surrendered himself to grateful slumber in his stateroom aboard the Gulf States Limited, awoke on that momentous morning to a distinct apprehension that all was not as it should be with him. His mouth reminded him vaguely of a bird-and-animal store, and riot and insurrection had broken out in the geometric center of his internal economy.

Webster was sufficient of a jack-leg doctor to suspect he was developing a splendid little case of ptomaine poisoning. He decided to go into executive session with the sleeping-car conductor, who wired ahead for a doctor to meet the train at the next station. And when the sawbones came and poked Jack Webster over, he gravely announced that if the patient had the slightest ambition to vote at the next presidential election, he should leave the train at St. Louis and enter a hospital forthwith. To this heart-breaking program Webster entered not the slightest objection, for when a man is seriously ill, he is in much the same position as a politician—to-wit: He is in the hands of his friends.

However, life had the habit of going hand with Webster so frequently that fortunately he was trained to the minute, and after three days of heroic battling the doctor awarded Jack the decision. Thereafter they kept him in the hospital ten days longer, "feeding him up" as the patient expressed it, at the end of which period Webster, some fifteen pounds lighter and not quite so fast on his feet as formerly, resumed his journey toward New Orleans.

In the meantime, however, several things had happened. To begin, Dolores Rusey spent two days wondering what had become of her quondam knight of the whiskers—at the end of which period she arrived in New Orleans with the conviction strong upon her that while her hero might be as courageous as a wounded lion when dealing with men, he was the possessor, when dealing with women, of about two per cent less courage than a cottontail rabbit. Being a very human young lady, however, she could not help wondering what had become of the ubiquitous Mr. Webster, although the fact that he had mysteriously disappeared from the train en route to New Orleans did not perturb her one-half so much as it had the disappearance. She had this advantage over that unfortunate man. Whereas he did not know she was bound for Buenaventura, she knew he was; hence, upon arrival in New Orleans she dismissed him from her thoughts, serene in abiding faith that sooner or later her knight would appear, like little Bo-Peep's lost sheep, dragging his tail behind him, so to speak.

Dolores spent a week in New Orleans renewing schoolgirl friendships from her convent days in the quaint old town. This stop-over, together with the one in Denver, not having been taken into consideration by Mr. William Geary when he and Mother Jenks commenced to speculate upon the approximate date of her arrival in Buenaventura, resulted in the premature flight of Mother Jenks to San Miguel de Padua, a fruitless visit on the part of Billy aboard the Cacique,

of the United Fruit company's line, followed by a hurry call to Mother Jenks to return to Buenaventura until the arrival of the next steamer.

This time Billy's calculations proved correct, for Dolores did arrive on that steamer. The port doctor came aboard, partook of his customary drink with the captain, received a bundle of the latest American newspapers and magazines, nosed around, asked a few perfunctory questions, and gave the vessel pratique.

Dolores observed a gasoline launch shoot up to the landing at the foot of the companion-ladder and discharge a well-dressed, youthful white man. As he came up the companion, the purser recognized him.

"Howdy, Bill," he called.

"Hello, yourself," Mr. William Geary replied, and Dolores knew him for an American. "Do you happen to have as a passenger this trip a large, interesting person, by name John Stuart Webster?" added Billy Geary.

"I don't know, Billy. I'll look over the passenger list," and together they moved off toward his office. Dolores followed, drawn by the mention of that magic name Webster, and paused in front of the purser's office to lean over the rail, ostensibly to watch the cargadores in their lighters clustering around the great ship, but in reality to learn more of the mysterious Webster.

"Blust the luck," Billy Geary growled, "the old sinner isn't here. By the way, do you happen to have a Miss Dolores Rusey aboard?" Dolores pricked up her little ears. What possible interest could this stranger have in her goings or comings?

"You picked a winner this time, Bill," she heard the purser say. "Stateroom sixteen, boat-deck, starboard side. You'll probably find her there, packing to go ashore."

"Thanks," Billy replied and stepped out of the purser's office. Dolores turned and faced him.

"I am Miss Rusey," she announced. "I heard you asking for me." Her eyes carried the query she had not put into words: "Who are you, and what do you want?" Billy saw and understood, and on the instant a wave of desolation surged over him.

"I dare say you passed each other on the road—here, here, Miss Rusey, don't cry."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

HELPED OUT REIGNING BULL

Kindly Act of New Member of Herd Something the Keepers Had Never Seen Before.

Usually when a new bull is taken into the buffalo herd at Golden Gate park in San Francisco his standing is promptly decided by a challenge from the head of the herd. The newcomer either wins the fight and in turn is exalted to the rank of sovereign or he is defeated and shown his place. But a new bull, Mogul, recently proved to be an exception. He was two years old, a fine example of what a young buffalo should be, and he seemed thoroughly content to mind his own business and to let the other bulls mind theirs. No one would have known that there was a new buffalo in the herd.

One morning the keepers saw that there was something in the air. Mogul was sniffing round the reigning bull. They were apart from the herd, heads down, and were moving round slowly. It was the queerest beginning of a bullfight that the keepers had ever seen. It appeared as if Mogul would knock out the old bull with one toss.

As they moved round and round Mogul seemed to be harking the other bull in the eye, and the other bull did not seem to be making the least resistance. Then they pulled apart and Mogul put down his head. The old bull had a bunch of thorny cactus sticking over his right eye, and Mogul was harking it off as best he could with his clumsy short little horns. Finally, after two more attempts, circling round as before, he got the cactus off, and each moved away about his own business.—Youth's Companion.

Sharing Your Books. The world is full of shut-ins, and there are those who are starving for books and papers, but how many of us make any effort to search them out?

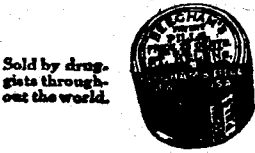
A clever article on books which I lately read annoyed me by explaining how stupid is the custom of borrowing books, and how vastly more desirable it is for each man to own his own. I decided that the writer was a rich man (although my better judgment should tell me that writers seldom are rich), and I decided also that he was missing a lot of good things if he neither lends nor borrows books. I believe that a book is about the pleasantest thing there is to share. It produces such a bond of sympathy if it is enjoyed by a friend, and it provides at once something worth while to talk about.

And people do return books, especially if you put your name and "please return" inside and remember where your books are visiting.—Ella Wister Haines in Christian Herald.

In One Direction Around World. A person starting on the equator on a trip around the world would go east all the way providing he started east. He would not go east half the way and west the other half. If his journey is started toward the west that direction would be maintained until reaching the starting point again.

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John D. Rockefeller Enters Mean Man He Once Knew in the Championship Stakes.

John D. Rockefeller once said to a New York reporter: "The poorest way to wealth is the mean way. In Richmond, where I was born, we had a mean man, a very mean man; yet the fortune he left was a small—you might say a mean one."

"At a church supper one night this man cut the corner of his lip with his knife. All searched their pocketbooks, but nobody had any court-plaster. What was to be done? The cut was bleeding."

"Finally the parson produced a two-cent stamp and said:

"Put this on the cut, squire. It will stop the hemorrhage, I believe."

"Thank you," said the squire gratefully, and taking out his wallet, he placed the two-cent stamp in it, extracting at the same time a one-cent stamp of his own, which he proceeded to stick on the cut.

"Thank you, parson," he repeated. "A penny saved is a penny earned."

An Eye Out for the Drinks.

If any reader thinks this little story is far-fetched he is right—we got it direct from distant Shanghai. A benevolent lady was giving a dinner party to a number of soldiers who had been half-blinded and otherwise wounded in the war, and during the repast the hostess was astonished to receive a glass eye rolling on a plate. "It's from my pal, Bill," explained one of the guests politely. "He sent it up to see if there are any drinks at your end of the table, 'cos there ain't any at his."—Boston Transcript.

Her Turn.

A wife should be a helpmeet," remarked the near-philosopher.

"That's my view, exactly," replied Mr. Glipping. "Only the other day I reminded Mrs. Glipping that I washed our silver the last time, but she didn't take the hint."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

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Nature is on your side every time you eat

Grape-Nuts

For this sturdy blend of wheat and malted barley supplies body and brain with just the elements of nutrition that Nature demands for health and vigor.

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"There's a Reason"

The Order of the Thistle dates from 1687; it is limited to the King of England and 16 knights.

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BEECHAM'S

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In boxes, 10c., 25c.

PILLS

help the bowels to functionate properly, and influence the liver and kidneys to act very efficiently.

Many Villages in the South Where There Are Absolutely No Old Maids Found.

A village without an old maid sounds somewhat like a fairy tale, but several such places exist down below the Mason and Dixon line.

"All the women get married in the mill villages of South Carolina, and at an early age," says a Y. W. C. A. industrial secretary stationed at Greenville, where she works among the girls in 13 mills.

Perhaps economic independence has something to do with it, as marriage is not looked upon by the girls as a meal ticket, but as a fifty-fifty proposition. The wives do not give up their jobs but keep right on working.

That the textile industry in South Carolina absorbs a large number of women as well as men workers is not surprising, considering the fact that there are as many as 15 mills in 29 counties. With the population of the state estimated at 1,500,015 people, 62,904 are mill workers, and 190,268 are dependents on mill pay. The valuation of the mills is \$75,000,000 and the weekly pay roll is \$1,000,000.

Billy's Natural History.

Billy—I saw a garter snake a yard and a half long today.

Paul—Never; garter snakes don't grow that long.

Billy—Well, I thought it must have been a garter snake, it was wrapped around the limb of a tree.

The Worst Kind.

First Red—It can't be so bad in the American prisons. They tell me they have no tortures there.

Second Red—Don't you believe it. They give you a bath and make you work.

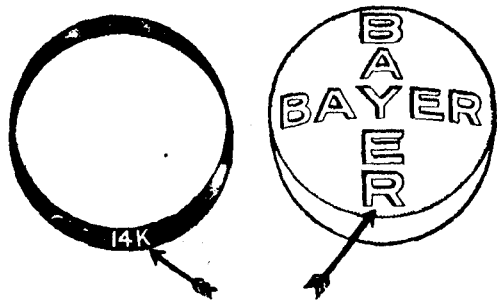
Perhaps a widow finds it easy to get married again because she doesn't expect perfection in a man.

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WARNING! Unless you see the name "Bayer" on tablets you are not getting genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians for 20 years and proved safe by millions. Name "Bayer" has same meaning as 14 Karat on gold.



SAFETY FIRST! Accept only an "unbroken package" of genuine "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin," which contains proper directions for Headache, Earache, Toothache, Neuralgia, Colds, Rheumatism, Neuritis, Lumbago, and for pain generally. Strictly American!

Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost but a few cents—Larger packages. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monocellulose Tablets of Bayer, Ltd.

Origin of Dollar Mark.
Some claim that it is a modification of the English symbol (£) for the pound. Another explanation is that it came from the letters U. S. written one over the other. Yet another theory is that the two upright marks represent two pillars of brass before the temple of Solomon, which early appeared on our coins and became intertwined with a scroll.

Proof Positive.
"This watch is not a new one."
"Brand new, sir. Has never been out of the shop."
"Can't I see for myself it is a second-hand affair?"

Catarh Can Be Cured

Catarh is a local disease greatly influenced by constitutional conditions. It therefore requires constitutional treatment. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is taken internally and acts through the blood on the mucous surface of the system. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE destroys the foundation of the disease, gives the patient strength by improving the general health and assists nature in doing its work. All Druggists. Circulars free. P. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

DYE RIGHT

Buy only "Diamond Dyes"



Each package of "Diamond Dyes" contains directions so simple that any woman can diamond-dye worn, shabby skirts, waists, dresses, coats, gloves, stockings, sweaters, draperies, everything, whether wool, silk, linen, cotton or mixed goods, new, rich fadeless colors. Have druggist show you "Diamond Dyes Color Card."—Adv.

LEAD WORLD IN TELEPHONES

Americans, With Their Business Instinct, Have Naturally Taken Kindly to the Instrument.

The telephone is an American invention, and we Americans have learned to use it better than any other people. Four-fifths of the world's telephones are in the United States. No other country has the exchange system developed to give such convenient service. In some of the most progressive European countries the exchange system is so cumbersome that it usually requires ten or fifteen minutes to get a connection.

The telephone in this country has expedited the transaction of business. Without our efficient telephone service, the work of most of our great industries would be slowed up and made more expensive. No other country has a rural system that compares with ours. The telephone has definitely affected and molded our business methods and our social and domestic life.—Alfred Westfall, Colorado Agricultural College.

A Friendly Remark.
Actor—I saved the show, but I admit I did hog it a bit.
Friend—Yes, you did look like a pig in a poke.

Must Be.
"How is it a lover's devotion is so seldom lasting?" "How can it be when it is all lip service?"

The best reflector of all metal is brass.

In order to succeed a man must fail a few times.

The Fact.
"The rare fish you mention was also a paradoxical one."
"How so?"
"It was also well done."

To Have a Clear Sweet Skin
Touch plimies, redness, roughness or itching, if any, with Cuticura Ointment, then bathe with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Rinse, dry gently and dust on a little Cuticura Talcum to leave a fascinating fragrance on skin. Everywhere 25c each.—Adv.

AT LEAST ONE GIRL SORRY

Veteran Had to Confess He Left Behind Him in France One Sorrowful Maiden.

The moon was full, the summer night was balmy, the hammock was built for two, and it seemed a shame to break it all up.

"Jack," she asked, "was there a girl in France who was sorry to see you go?"

"I'd rather you didn't ask me that question, dear," he said.

"But I must know. We're engaged and you should tell me everything," she insisted.

"Dear, I don't like to talk about it."

"Oh, Jack, how could you when all the time you were engaged to me?"

"Listen a minute and I'll give you the whole story," he said in desperation. "She was—"

"Well—"

"She was my laundress. I owed her 12 francs."—Boston Globe.

The Likeness.
"A wit in one respect is like an appreciative dog."
"What is it?"
"Because with both, the wag is always ready with a tale."

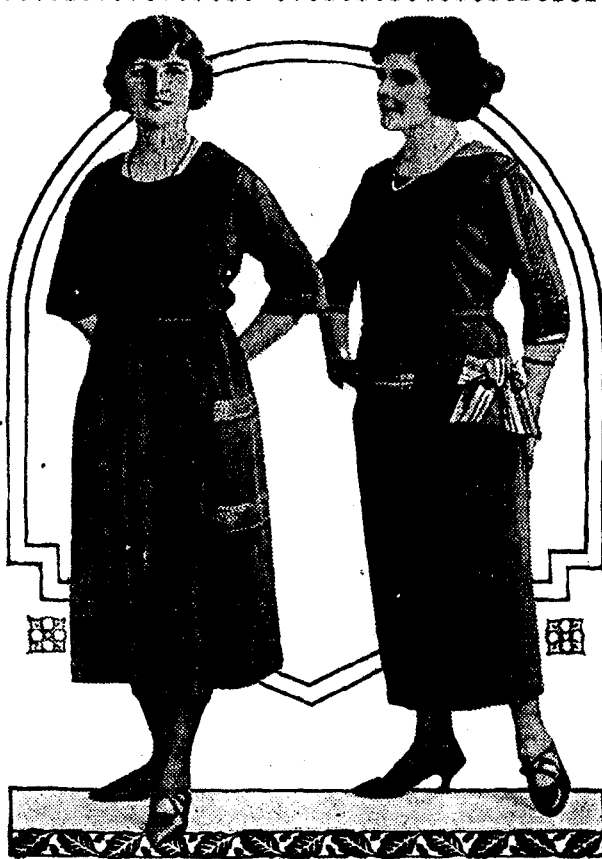
Nothing.
"They say a man becomes what he eats." "Then Cholly must be on a hunger strike."

Beware of the individual who has a reputation for working one friend in the interest of another.

London as a community uses trains and other transport more than any other city in the world.

Lots of folks judge a disinfectant by its smell.

What Well Dressed Women Will Wear



Fashion Indulges the Flapper.

THE wisdom of the arbitrary goddess of fashion is often in question, but that irresponsible and erratic deity goes on her wayward way, often side-stepping the axioms of good taste. One of those axioms is that young girls should be simply dressed—and to the joy of the flapper, fashion has seen fit to ignore it—for a while anyway. She is indulging the younger girls in their hearts' desire—clothes like those of their grown-up sisters—not to speak of mothers and grandmothers. The flapper is usually in need of something to make her happiness complete and now she has it in luxurious frocks and coats for evening. These rich trappings are beautiful, but lack the flavor of youthfulness, which is a more appealing charm than any other.

Frocks for everyday wear include many pretty models that are not too much fussed up to be youthful, although they reflect the mode for decoration by following it at a little distance. These are the most important of the young girls' belongings and two

of them, as illustrated in the picture, may be worn with the assurance that they are both good style and good taste. At the left, a frock of gabardine in dark brown is ornamented with rows of stitching in beige-colored silk and narrow brown silk braid. The skirt is gathered into the waist, but folded at the sides to form a panel, defined by rows of cloth-covered buttons at each side. The ingenious waist reveals a little blouse at the waistline of figured beige satin across the front and back. Stitches, like that on the skirt, appears under the arms at the sides and as a finish for the three-quarter length sleeves, and covered buttons in a row at each side add the charm of neat precision to a very clever waist.

The other dress of blue serge makes the most of accordion plaits, small bow-buttons and Roman-striped ribbon. Stripes cut from the ribbon bind the collar and sleeves and a sash about the hips makes a spirited, youthful finishing touch.



Fine Feathers in Millinery.

IN ALL the representative displays of hats for winter much plumage and much manipulation of plumage are in evidence. The all-feather hat is always a part of the autumn millinery parade, but it has never appeared in such numbers or in so many combinations and colors as this fall. Feather and fur hats are usually small and expensive. This season finds a generous sprinkling of larger shapes among them, and as compared to other millinery they contrive to be less expensive than heretofore. This country has always supplied great quantities of raw feathers and during the war may have learned to rely on home manufacturers instead of sending feathers overseas and importing the hats made of them. It takes a great deal of work to make a good feather hat, hence we ought not to expect low prices on them.

Three of the hats shown above are made entirely of feathers. Curled and uncurled ostrich plumage grows every day in favor and the uncurled variety is always a part of the autumn millinery parade, but it has never appeared in such numbers or in so many combinations and colors as this fall. Feather and fur hats are usually small and expensive. This season finds a generous sprinkling of larger shapes among them, and as compared to other millinery they contrive to be less expensive than heretofore. This country has always supplied great quantities of raw feathers and during the war may have learned to rely on home manufacturers instead of sending feathers overseas and importing the hats made of them. It takes a great deal of work to make a good feather hat, hence we ought not to expect low prices on them.

These hats are for the most part entirely of black, and one interesting trimming is a sort of fringe or half veil of ostrich set about the drooping brim of a draped model.

Newest Knickers.
The newest knickers have no fullness at the waist, but are buttoned at the back with two buttons.

Pink Voile Lingerie.
From Paris comes a pink voile lingerie set trimmed with lace.

The Overblouse Type.
The long overblouse type of blouse is predicted by an importer and maker who should know as the smartest for autumn and winter and will be used for evening wear quite extensively. Sleeves for these blouses are naturally short and backs are low, an oval shape extending out on the shoulders being much in evidence.

Velvet for Evening Hats.
Panne velvet is a favorite for the large evening hats now in vogue.

Latest Markets

LIVE STOCK—DETROIT

Best heavy steers, \$11@11.50; best handy weight butcher steers, \$9@10; mixed steers and heifers, \$8@9; handy light butchers, \$7@8; light butchers, \$6@7.50; best cows, \$7; butcher cows, \$6@6.50; cutters, \$5.75@6; canners, \$5@5.50; choice bulls, \$7; bonanza bulls, \$6@6.50; stock bulls, \$4.50@5; feeders, \$7@8; stockers, \$6.50@7.50; milkers and springers, \$6@6.10.

Sheep and Lambs

Best lambs, \$11@11.25; fair lambs, \$9@10.50; light to common lambs, \$5@7.50; fair to good sheep, \$4.50@5; culls and common, \$2@3.

Hogs

Mixed grades, \$14; pigs, \$13; roughs, \$12; stags, \$10.

Calves

Best, \$16@16.50; culls, \$10@13; heavy, \$6@7.

LIVE POULTRY

Spring chickens, large, colored, 30c; Leghorns, springs, 24c; hens, four pounds and up, 30c; small hens, 22c; old roosters, 20c; ducks, 30@32c; geese, 25c; turkeys, seven pounds and over, 35c per lb.

BUTTER AND EGGS

Butter—Fresh creamery, 56 1/2@51c per pound.
Eggs—Fresh candled, 57@60c; storage, 51@52c per doz.

GRAIN AND FEED

Wheat—Cash No. 2 red, \$2.11; December, \$2; March, \$1.96; No. 2 mixed and No. 2 white, \$2.09.

Corn—Cash No. 2, 90c; No. 2 yellow, 95c.

Oats—Cash No. 2 white, 58c; No. 3 white, 56 1/2c; No. 4 white, 53 1/2c.

Rye—Cash No. 2, \$1.70.

Beans—Immediate and prompt shipment, \$4.50 per cwt.

Seeds—Prime red clover, spot and October, \$13; December, \$13.50; February, \$13.70; cash and October alsike \$17; timothy, \$3.25.

Feed—Bran, \$38; standard middlings, \$43; fine middlings, \$53; coarse cornmeal, \$45; cracked corn, \$47; chop, \$41 per ton in 100-lb sacks.

Hay—No. 1 timothy, \$28@30; standard, \$28@29; light mixed, \$28@29; No. 2 timothy, \$27@28; No. 1 mixed, \$27@28; No. 1 clover, \$27@28; rye straw, \$14.50@15; wheat and oat straw, \$13.50@14 per ton in carlots.

Flour—Fancy spring wheat patents, \$13.65; fancy winter wheat patents, \$13.85; second winter wheat patents, \$11.85; winter wheat straights, \$11.10 per bbl.

FARM AND GARDEN

Cranberries—\$2.25@2.50 per bu.
Grapesfruit—\$6.50@7 per crate.
Bananas—Good stock, 8@9c per lb.
Cranberries—Cape Cod, \$5.50@6 per box.

Peaches—AA \$1.50@1.75, A \$1@1.15, B 75c per bu.

Oranges—150 to 216, \$7.50@8; 100 to 128, \$6.50@7 per box.

California Fruits—Plums, \$1.50@2; grapes, \$3@3.25 per box.

Pears—Bartlett, \$3.25@3.50; Duchessa, \$2@2.25; Sheldon, \$1.50@1.75 per bu.

Grapes—Delaware, 75@90c per 8-lb basket; Concord, 45@50c per 6-lb basket.

Apples—Michigan, \$1@1.25 per bu; fancy, \$1.50@1.75 per bu; western, \$3.50@4 per box; snows, \$1.50 per bu.

Cabbage—60@75c per bu.

Mushrooms—75@85c per lb.

Chestnuts—25@30c per bu.

Popcorn—Shelled, 8c per lb.

Cauliflower—\$2.75@3 per bu.

Celery—Michigan, 30@40c per doz.

Onions—Indiana, \$1.50@1.75 per 100-lb sack.

Potatoes—Michigan, \$2.75@3 per 150-lb sack.

Dressed Hogs—Light, 23@24c; heavy, 21@22c per lb.

Lettuce—Head, \$2@2.50 per case; leaf, 75@90c per bu.

Sweet Potatoes—\$2@2.25 per hamper, \$5.50@6 per bbl.

Dressed Calves—Best, 22c; ordinary, 20@21c per lb.

Nut Meats—Almonds, 65c; walnuts, 75c; pecans, 90c per lb.

Tomatoes—Home-grown, \$3.50@4 per bu; hothouse, \$2.75@3 per 10-lb basket.

Cucumbers, home-grown, \$3.50@4 per bu; hothouse cucumbers, \$5@5.50 per box; green onions, 90c@1 per doz bunches; round radishes, 8@10c per bunch; green peppers, \$1@1.50 per bu; parsley, 50@60c per doz.

Turnips, \$1.50@1.75 per bu; new carrots, \$1.25@1.50 per doz; green and wax beans, \$1.75@2 per hamper; new beets, \$1@1.25 per bushel.

LIVE STOCK—EAST BUFFALO

Cattle—Shipping steers, \$14.50@16.50; butchers, \$3.50@14; yearlings, \$14@16.50; heifers, \$6@11; cows, \$2.50@9.50; bulls, \$5.50@9; stockers and feeders, \$5.50@8.50; fresh cows and springers, \$6@12.50.

Calves—50c lower at \$5.50@8.50.

Hogs—Market generally 50c lower; heavy and mixed, \$16@16.10.

3,000 Americans in Russia.

Moscow.—There are at present five Americans in prison in Moscow; numbers are detained for varied reasons and others were unable to leave in 1918. They now wish repatriation. The total number of American citizens in Russia is estimated at 3,000, including the families of Russians who are naturalized Americans, many of whom have been separated for six years or more from husbands or fathers without means of communication.

American-Chinese Pact Signed.

Washington.—A treaty between the United States and China provisionally rearranging the customs duties which China can charge on imports of tobacco, sugar, spirits and luxuries, was signed at the state department by Secretary Colby and Dr. Wellington Koo, the Chinese minister. The effect of the treaty is to provide graduated increases in the 5 per cent flat rate permitted on imports into China in the treaty of 1903, negotiated during the Roosevelt administration.

WRIGLEYS

The children love Wrigley's—and it's good for them.

Made under conditions of absolute cleanliness and brought to them in Wrigley's sealed sanitary package.

Satisfies the craving for sweets, aids digestion, sweetens breath, allays thirst and helps keep teeth clean.

Costs little, benefits much.

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Everywhere THE FLAVOR LASTS



Thespiens. "What does it mean when they throw an egg at an actor, pa?" "It means they want him to beat it!"—Judge.

Stiff hats cover a multitude of sore heads.

Wings of riches are as unsatisfactory as the stings of poverty.

Kill That Cold With

HILL'S CASCARA QUININE
FOR Colds, Coughs AND La Grippe

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Take no chances. Keep this standard remedy handy for the first sneeze.
Breaks up a cold in 24 hours—Relieves Grippe in 3 days—Excellent for Headache
Quinine in this form does not affect the head—Cascara is best Tonic Laxative—No Opium in Hill's

ALL DRUGGISTS SELL IT

One Eloquent Word.
An old negro brother, seated tar back in a crowded experience meeting, stood up, gained the attention of the leader, and said:
"Kin I say jes' one word?"
"You can," said the leader. "Go ahead."
Then, with all his might, he shouted, "Hallelujah!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Suitable Repartee.
"How did she answer his dogged determination?"
"With a biting retort."

Sure Enough.
"The hygienic experts set their faces against kissing."
"Who doesn't?"

Another Royal Suggestion COOKIES and DROP CAKES

From the NEW ROYAL COOK BOOK

WHEN the children romp in hunger, here are some wholesome delights that will satisfy the most ravenous appetite.

Cookies
1 cup shortening
3 cups sugar
1/2 cup milk
2 eggs
1 teaspoon grated nutmeg
1 teaspoon vanilla extract
1/2 cup grated rind of 1 lemon
4 cups flour
3 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
Cream shortening and sugar together; add milk to beaten eggs and beat again; add slowly to creamed shortening and sugar; add nutmeg and vanilla; add 2 cups flour sifted with baking powder; add enough more flour to make stiff dough. Roll out very thin on floured board; cut with cookie cutter, sprinkle with sugar, or put a raisin or a piece of English walnut in the center of each. Bake about 12 minutes in hot oven.

Cocoa Drop Cakes
4 tablespoons shortening
1 cup sugar
1 egg
1/2 cup milk
1/2 cup flour
3 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
1/2 cup cocoa
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 teaspoon vanilla
Cream shortening; add sugar and well-beaten egg; beat well and add milk slowly; sift flour, baking powder, salt and cocoa into mixture; stir until smooth; add vanilla. Put one tablespoon of batter into each greased muffin tin and bake in moderate oven about 20 minutes. Cover with boiled icing.

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Coffee drinkers, who switch from their accustomed table drink, almost always turn to Postum because of its delicious coffee-like flavor.

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LOCAL NEWS

GRAYLING, THURSDAY, OCT. 28.

John Cameron and family, have moved to Detroit.

Miss Elmira Cadieux of Cheboygan was a guest of Miss Bernadette Cassidy last Sunday.

E. V. Barber, M. C. Freight agent and wife left today for Detroit to spend a few days.

Boy wanted to start fires mornings and carry in wood for the day at Avalanche office.

Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Canfield and Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Schumann were guests of Mrs. Canfield's parents in Gladwin over Sunday.

Dr. Don M. Howell was united in marriage Wednesday night to Miss Marjorie Sexton at the home of the latter's mother in Marshfield, Wis.

Last call for Christmas greeting card orders. We cannot assure satisfactory delivery of orders after next week. Call or phone Avalanche office.

Mastion Afsher and Miss Dora Vandenberg, both of Frederic, came to Grayling last Friday and were united in marriage by Justice Emil Kraus.

First snow flurries of the season occurred last night and has been trying to keep it up all day today. At no time has there been enough snow to show on the ground.

Loraine Sparkes is the new bookkeeper at the Bank of Grayling filling the position of Miss Bernadette Cassidy, who has resigned to accept a similar position with a bank in Grand Rapids.

Chris Hoesli says that he picked a beautiful bunch of arbutus in full bloom last Sunday. Such a thing is almost unknown at this time of the year. The fine weather of October must be responsible.

There was a rousing political meeting held in Frederic last evening. Farmers living adjacent to Frederic drove in in autos to attend the rally, and two or three auto loads from Grayling were in attendance.

The annual Red Cross campaign for members is to begin November 11. If you are called upon by any of the solicitors kindly remember that they are human, are working without pay and will appreciate courteous treatment. This organization should be kept up; it is valuable to any community. Re-join when the time comes.

Warren G. Harding will be 55 years of age November 2nd, election day. May he have many happy returns.

Mrs. Geo. L. Alexander left Sunday night for Detroit to take treatment in one of the Sanitariums in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Petersen have been in Detroit the past couple of weeks visiting their sons and daughters, who reside there.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin LaChapelle and little son William returned Wednesday from a two weeks' vacation spent in Southern Michigan cities.

Supt. B. E. Smith and 14 of our teachers are attending the meeting of the State teachers' association that is being held in Grand Rapids today and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roblin returned home first of the week from Grand Rapids where the latter was in attendance at the Grand Lodge meeting of the Eastern Star chapter.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Darling and daughter Helen of Albany, N. Y., arrived in the city Monday to visit Mrs. Darling's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adelbert Taylor, and other relatives.

Halloween is next Saturday night. This is the night for a big time but is not intended to give license to damage property. A word of caution from the parents should not be amiss.

Miss Catherine Ruth and Mr. Charles Frederickson were united in marriage last Saturday evening in this city. For the present they are making their home with the groom's sister, Mrs. Arnold Lauridsen.

Will Hemmingson had the misfortune to have his Maxwell touring car burn last Saturday night. He with a party of friends were attending a dancing party down the river and when they returned to the car it was in flames. Nothing was left of it but the two rear wheels and the chassis. This was caused by a short circuit in the wires. The machine was not insured.

The Bluebird girls gave a Halloween party at the Michelson Memorial church Tuesday evening. They invited some of their friends and made a party of about fifty young people. They played games, for entertainment. A light luncheon was served. The church was decorated after Halloween fashion with yellow and black paper and was very attractive.

Marshal Brenner says that some boys have been committing pranks at fire engine house by tying up the bell so that "Curfew cannot ring to-night." But Mike insists it shall ring every night and warns the boys that it is a serious matter and that if he finds out who it is that he will surely make them a lot of trouble. They are doing other damage there besides what we here mention, Mike says and arrests are sure to follow if detected.

Miss Bonnie Clise was united in marriage to Barton Wakeley, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Clise of the South side, yesterday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. Justice Emil Kraus tied the knot. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Seeley B. Wakeley of this city.

People living outside of Grayling wishing to take advantage of some of the advertised offers of our merchants can do so by writing a letter or phoning just as well as to come here personally. Mail in your order by the first mail and your wants will be promptly served. Our merchants are reliable and the purchaser is taking no risk in sending money. If the goods are not as advertised and desirable you may depend upon it that our dealers will make it satisfactory. Practice shopping in Grayling by mail. You can save dollars every week.

A suit against Judge Nelson Sharpe for alleged damage amounting to \$25,000, instituted by Wm. H. Harrington in the Gaylord courts was heard last week. A jury had been summoned but before being drawn the plaintiff made a motion which was not granted. Under this status Mr. Harrington gave notice of appeal to the supreme court. According to some of the attorneys present at the opening of the case, the claim is not taken seriously and it is believed that it will be dropped. Judge Ray Hart of Midland served as judge in the case, in place of Judge Smith.

Ever since Miss Larvie resigned as Red Cross nurse for Crawford county, efforts have been made to secure a nurse to take her place. There are but few that have had training in public health nursing and such nurses are hard to get. Miss Anne Walton, a sister of Mrs. C. R. Keyport has been engaged and began work last Monday. Miss Walton is a graduate nurse from Harper hospital of Detroit and besides this, she has had eight weeks' training in community nursing service. Her activities will take her all over Crawford county, the greater part of her work being conducted thru the schools.

The members of Grayling Post 106 American Legion enjoyed a social time Thursday evening of last week. The affair was held in the Board of Trade club rooms. There were 26 present. They spent the evening playing billiards and at cards. At about 11:00 p. m. a banquet was served to which all did ample justice. The menu consisted of spanish rice, potatoes, salad, jello, coffee, cake, cigars and cigarettes. Lieut. Arthur McIntyre acted in the capacity of toastmaster and a number of interesting talks were given by the members. During a business session a committee was formed to start a membership drive. A dancing party also was planned to take place Nov. 11—armistice day.

The Moose Ladies gave a very pretty and enjoyable Halloween party at the Moose club rooms last evening, and a large crowd was present. Guests were given their choice of spending the evening at dancing or cards. Clark's orchestra furnished the music for dancing. Prizes were awarded to the winners at cards. The club rooms were decorated symbolic of Halloween with cornstalks, paper pumpkins and wild cats, and was very pretty. During a feature dance toy balloons were tossed among the dancers that were concealed in an American flag over head. But this wasn't the best feature for at about 12:00 o'clock, the guests were invited to a chop suey supper. This was greatly enjoyed and consisted of Chop suey with rice, buttered buns, pickles, pumpkin pie and coffee. Those who were present say that they had a most enjoyable time and hope the Moose ladies will give some more such pleasant affairs.

Camp Wagner, No. 10, Ladies National League and Camp Wagner No. 13, National League of Veterans and Sons enjoyed a banquet at the G. A. R. hall Thursday evening of last week, the ladies organization giving the affair for the gentlemen, and also for the new candidates that have been secured. Early in May a contest was put on by the Ladies National League and with Mrs. J. A. Holliday and Mrs. Frank Serven as captains, sides were chosen to see how many new members could be gotten for both the L. N. L. and the N. L. V. S. and the contest closed September 1st, with Mrs. Serven's side winning by one member. They succeeded in getting 49 new men members and 22 new lady members. At times both sides were a tie having secured the same number of new members. So the banquet that took place at 5:00 o'clock Thursday at the G. A. R. hall was in honor of the success the ladies had made. The remaining evening hours were pleasantly spent at cards.

Henry Joseph of New York City arrived in Grayling last Saturday. He was accompanied by Miss Josephine Mann of Los Angeles, Calif., and they were guests of Mr. Joseph's mother, Mrs. Rosa Joseph. Henry is now engaged in the manufacture of rubber floor mats. They are very attractive and have the appearance of woven rugs. They are durable and are easily cleaned with water, being made of pure rubber. A few years ago Mr. Joseph had serious financial troubles and obligations culminating finally in the filing of a petition in bankruptcy. He says that he is again upon his feet and knows that it will be but a short time before he will be able to repay every dollar he owes anyone, and has withdrawn the bankruptcy petition. No doubt his old creditors will be pleased and his actions are certain to strengthen him in future transactions, for Henry goes in big on everything he goes after and a clean credit is a valuable asset in any business. The engagement of Mr. Joseph and Miss Mann has been announced. They left for Chicago Tuesday, where they will visit friends after which each will return to their respective homes.

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BAY CITY JURY DISAGREES IN FREDRICKSON CASE.

Federal court was in session in Bay City this week and the trial of Charles Frederickson, of Grayling, charged with the embezzlement of government monies while the war was in progress, was started Tuesday. Frederickson, it is alleged, was the express agent at Grayling, retaining his position when the government took over the control of the railroads. He is said to have collected charges on certain C. O. D. parcels and retained the money for his own use. The jury disagreed and the case was put over until the May term of court next year. Thomas Trudo, Henry Trudo, Miss Bessie Brown, Frank Dreese and Carl Nelson of this city were subpoenaed to appear at the trial. Frederickson was the defendant in a similar case charged with embezzlement from the American Railway Express company in the Circuit court here in Grayling some time ago, and the case was thrown out of court. The case that was taken up by the United States district court is similar to the one held in Grayling. When young Frederickson took up the duties at the local express office he knew nothing whatever of the work, and the responsibility he was to undertake, and altho he is not believed to have taken the money it is thought by many that not understanding the work he did not know how to keep up his books and in this way came into the trouble.

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In the northern part of Michigan red clover will yield from two to six bushels of seed per acre. On new land where limestone is plentiful it is easy to secure a good crop by giving clover the right kind of cultivation at the proper time.

Contrary to common practice in some other red clover territories the first growth of second year clover is grown for seed. Experiments on rather a large scale in Michigan indicate that the most satisfactory results follow the practice of maturing the seed rather early in the season.

The average yield of clover seed in northern Michigan is somewhere between 2 and 3 bushels per acre, but special methods such as light pasturing in May followed early in June by clipping with the mowing machine have produced as much as six bushels of seed per acre. These large yields have been secured only from first crop seed. It is difficult or impossible to cut hay and to secure a good yield of seed from the same clover.

Some of the best growers keep sheep or cattle and pasture the clover until June. When the farmers have not enough stock to pasture it down the clover is clipped with the mowing machine about the middle of June or earlier. The knife is set high, or the guards are tilted up, and the clippings are left on the ground. The clipping process, even when sufficient stock is kept, is a good one because there are always patches where the clover is more forward than others.

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Clipping also cuts the seed stalks of small seeded weeds and gives the clover the advantage. Rib grass, the worst clover weed, sends up a seed spike rather early. If this first spike is cut another will grow, but it is not likely to produce seed as quickly as clover that has been pastured to prevent the formation of seed heads until the clover plants have attained full maturity and maximum vitality.



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